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ROOSEVELT'S DANGEROUS PROGRAM.

Socialism or Civil War Will Follow the Attempt to Legalize and Regulate Monopoly.

In a leading editorial the New York World gives these expressions shared in by many who have studied the Roosevelt program :

We do not believe that the Republic can safely experiment with the tremendous system of centralized and personal government that the Roosevelt policies involve. We do not believe that the Republic can safely undertake to legalize and regulate monopoly. We believe that if the Roosevelt policies were ever firmly established in Washington, one of two things must inevitably happen ; Either a distracted people would swing entirely over to Socialism or we should eventually have another civil war as the result of an irrepressible conflict between capital and labor. For capital would as surely seize the National Government under the Roosevelt policy of legalizing and regulating monopoly as slavery seized the National Government under the policy of legalizing and regulating slavery.

These are great issues which have little to do with any individual. Mr. Roosevelt's programme is dangerous not because he is a third-term candidate for President but because of the issues themselves—because of the centralized personal government and the legalized monopoly that are the breath and spirit of his propaganda. The more advocates it has the more dangerous it becomes, unless we are blindly mistaken as to its probable consequences, and we cannot be mistaken unless all the experience of human history suddenly counts for nothing.

When Roosevelt announced his candidacy The World declared that the campaign would be a test of the American people's fitness for self-government under a Constitution of limited and delegated powers. The situation is unchanged. The test must be met. The issue must be submitted to the calm and sober judgment of the American people at the polls in November.

Competent Man.

From Houtzdale Citizen.

James A. Gleason candidate for the Democratic Nomination for Congress in this district, the 21st, constituting Clearfield, Centre, Cameron and McKean Counties, is the peer of all who are aspiring to that office.

Being born and reared in Houtzdale he needs no introduction here, where he is held in the highest esteem by all—everybody. Finely educated and of a splendid physique, possessing a very commanding voice to back all these good requirements up, together with all his other splendid acquirements and achievements as a brilliant attorney and councilor, at the bar, coupled with his honesty and strict fidelity, he is in many thousands the one best fitted to fill this honorable position and to command a hearing on the floor of Congress. When so good, pure, honest and conscientious a man as Jas. A. Gleason seeks the voters support partisan feeling should be laid aside, and to a large extent will be, and when election draws nigh the sentiment will be largely in his favor.

1913 Automobile Licenses.

The First issue of Pennsylvania's automobile license tags for 1913 will be made by the automobile division of the state highway department on December 1, almost two weeks ahead of the time of issue in the past, and it is expected to break all records for the first issue, the order being for 60,000 tags. The licenses will be sent out as rapidly as possible owing to the fact that on January 1, 1913, days of grace will be abolished.

The latter order means that persons failing to display 1913 tags on and after January 1, will be liable to arrest. Heretofore thirty days have been allowed to owners in which to procure licenses, but next year no car can be run on New Year's day without one of the olive green tags.

On January 1, 1913, joint ownership of cars will be done away with as far as registering is concerned, and the name of but one person can be given as owner. All others who desire to operate the car must take out chaffeur licenses. It has been found that the privileges carried by joint ownership were much abused. On some applications for registration a dozen names were given as owners and all claimed the right to operate the car.

When you have a bad cold you want the best medicine obtainable so as to cure it with as little delay as possible. Here is a druggist's opinion : "I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for fifteen years," says Enos Lollar of Saratoga, Ind., "and consider it the best on the market. For sale by all dealers. adv.

Repairing Boalsburg Lutheran Church.

Repairs are now being made on the Boalsburg Lutheran church. A new roof has been put on and frescoers are now at work on the interior, beautifying the walls. The old pews have been removed and new ones will be placed. Leaded glass windows and new carpet are also on the list of improvements. The pulpit and choir platform are being remodeled. This with paint and some minor changes to be added will make the building more churchly than ever in its appointments, and greatly minister to the long felt needs of the congregation.

Reformed Synod in Session.

Eastern Synod of the Reformed church met in the 166th annual session at Lebanon, on Monday, and will continue until Friday. This Synod comprises all of Pennsylvania east of the Susquehanna river, and also that portion west of the Susquehanna which lies north of the Juniata river, and east of the Alleghany mountains. It is composed of all the ministers within its bounds, and such as may be temporarily outside these boundaries, together with an elder from each charge. The total number of ministers on the roll of Synod were reported last year at 352

Merchant Kreamer Bought Property.

Samuel S. Kreamer, of the firm of Kreamer & Son, general merchants in Centre Hall, purchased the house and lot known as the Richards property, from Mrs. Catharine Horner, who occupied the place for several years. The price paid was in the neighborhood of $1000.

Mrs. Horner will vacate the place at once, and give possession to the new owner, who will move into it to-day (Thursday).

Transfer of Real Estate.

Hannah M. Rubly to Amos Shank et ux, tract of land in Rush twp. $2000.

Thos. A. Shoemaker et ux to Bellefonte Furnace Co., tract of land in Spring twp. $1.00.

Agnes Shipley to Daniel Hall, tract of land in Unionville. $35.00.

Elizabeth Eustace et al to J. W. Stein, tract of land in Philipsburg. $900.

Maria Nelson to Harry Barger, tract of land in Rush twp. $525.

Lehigh Valley Coal Company to W. J. Nevel et al, tract of land in Snow Shoe twp. $500.

John E. Rider to Marietta Field, lot of ground in Ferguson twp. $1.

Thomas Foster et al to Jennie L. Atkinson, Lot in State College. $300

Alton Nelson et ux to Edward Fry, lot in Philipsburg. $1 00.

James W. Cowfer et ux to Charles Chesick, premises in Rush twp. $700.

John J. Wayne et ux to John W. Cowfer et ux, premises in Rush twp. $1 00.

Luther M. Tobias et ux to Penn. R. R. Co., tract of land in Howard twp. $2100.

James O. Clark et ux to John W. Dale, premises in State College. $3000.

William L. Foster et al to Harvey W. Sawers, premises in State College. $600.

Hammond Sechler et ux to F. Anna Sechler, premises in Bellefonte. $2828 75.

F. Anna Sechler to J. Alice Sechler, premises in Bellefonte. $2823 75.

W. W. Jamison, admr. to Elias Cofer, 2 tracts of land in Gregg twp.

There are but two candidates in Centre county for Representative in the General Assembly—namely, R. M. Foster and C. L. Gramley. There is no particular issue, but Democrats cannot hope to win the greater battles if the lesser ones are let go by default. To be successful in national affairs, it is necessary to stand by your political organization in the state, district—congressional and legislative—county, township and borough, whenever occasion is given to do so.

If it is your intention to be fair to the Democratic organization of which you claim to be a part, vote for—

the Wilson and Marshall electors ;

William H. Berry, for State Treasurer ;

Robert E. Cresswell, for Auditor General ;

James A. Gleason, Representative in Congress ;

Robert M. Foster, for Representative in the General Assembly,

and you will have done your full duty as a Democrat and as a good citizen.

A car load of hogs were shipped from Centre Hall on Tuesday. The hogs were purchased from farmers in the immediate vicinity of this place where cholera has not made its appearance, and were shipped to a packing house at Shamokin. The price paid was eight cents, and fat and medium fat hogs were selected. Farmers did not esitate to sell, fearing the cholera might later spread, and that they might sustain loss thereby.

BUILDING OPERATIONS.

Notes How Improvements are Progressing—Every Mechanic Busy.

Every mechanic and laborer in Centre Hall who has any inclination to work is busy as a bee in the June days. There are more building operations now in progress than at any one time for a number of years.

Archy Zettle built a bungalow, 30x16 feet, on his lot near the creamery, to be used as a temporary home until his dwelling house is erected and ready for occupancy. When the main house is completed the present quarters will be used for a summer kitchen.

The foundation for a dwelling house is being excavated by A. Zettle. The location is also near the Howard Creamery Corporation's plant Mr. Zettle's intention is to complete the house between this and next spring.

The foundation walls for a dwelling house to be erected by Irvin Zettle are completed. The construction of this house will now go on as rapidly as possible.

Charles D. Bartholomew erected three large stables on three lots on Allison street, also known as Bartholomew's addition, near the station.

The portion of the Logan house purchased by him has been moved onto one of these lots, and is being fitted up for a dwelling house. The structure will be ready for occupancy before a great while.

The foundation walls for the dwelling house to be erected by Samuel Shoop, opposite the school house, on Church street, are nearly completed. Mr. Shoop contemplates having his new home ready for occupancy next spring. He is a carpenter, and will do much of the work himself.

The Reporter building is ready for the roofing, and the brick layers.

Mr. Tibbitts Sells Business.

F. J. Tibbitts, who purchased the undertaking and furniture business from L. G. Rearick, last spring, sold the entire stock and good will to Frank V. Goodhart, who now has the business in hand, the transfer having been made the beginning of this week.

Mr. Goodhart, the new proprietor, although just starting in business for himself, has had large experience in both the undertaking and furniture business, having been with Mr. Rearick for five years, during which time he was on various occasions in complete charge of corpses and also acted in the capacity of funeral director on more than one occasion. Mr. Goodhart also holds two diplomas from institutions giving instructions in embalming and the general care of dead bodies. This experience coupled with technical knowledge fits him thoroughly to take charge of funerals. He is acquainted with the usages prevailing in his territory and capable of giving the best of satisfaction.

As a student under Mr. Rearick, Mr. Goodhart also gave the furniture business close attention, acquainting himself with the latest styles of furniture, methods of construction and the material entering into high grade furniture. He is also a skilled mechanic, able to repair furniture of all kinds, from supplying broken legs, painting, varnishing to upholstering.

Mr. Tibbetts will retire from business. He will remain here at least until spring, and perhaps longer. The main cause for his disposing of the business was because of his impaired health, having been ill for the greater part of the time since he came here from Maine.

Rebersburg.

Our farmers are busy husking corn.

Flosie Loose is at present confined to bed with inflammatory rheumatism.

Miss Eva Meyer is spending several days this week with relatives at Loganton.

Lee Weber has rented the Jerry Walker farm, situated a short distance east of this place.

Kline Royer, of Altoona, is at present spending several days at this place with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Weber, of Renovo, spent several days in town at the home of Mrs. Weber's mother.

Jonathan Royer, of Zion, spent several days this week at the home of his brother, D. D. Royer, in this place.

At present our road supervisor has a crew of men working on the public roads which need repairing very much.

The John Bressler home, situated two miles south east of this place, was put up for sale on Saturday but no sale was made.

The stone for the concrete walk which is to be built along the eastern side of the Union cemetery at this place were crushed this week, but work on the walk has not yet begun.

One day last week George Wolfort, an aged gentleman of this place, while in H. K. Smull's blacksmith shop, received a paralytic stroke, and for a time could not hear nor speak, but has so far recovered that he is able to talk.

S. S. CONVENTION.

14th Sabbath-School Convention to be Held in Brush Valley.

A district Sabbath-school convention will be held in St. Paul's United Evangelical church, in Brush Valley, Friday, November 1st. There will be two sessions—afternoon and evening.

THE PROGRAM—AFTERNOON.

Music.....Choir
Devotional Service.....Rev. R. R. Jones
Greetings.....President C. E. Royer
"The Country Sunday-School"
Rev. J. F. Bingman
Music.....Male Quartette
"The Problem of the Teacher"
Prof. W. F. Zeigler
"The Benefits of Teacher Training Classes"
Rev. Fred W. Barry
Minutes Treasurer's Report Closing Prayer

EVENING SESSION.

Music.....Choir
Devotional Services.....Rev. S. A. Snyder
Enrollment of Sunday-schools
Reports of Department Superintendents
"The Sunday-school and the Country Life Movement.....Rev. W. H. Schuyler, Ph. D.
Music.....Male Quartette
"Sunday-schools an Aid in Promoting Good Citizenship".....Rev. D. C. Caris
Offering Doxology Benediction

The officers of the convention are : C. E. Royer, President ; G. L. Goodhart, Vice President ; Mrs. S. W. Smith, Secretary ; T. M. Gramley, Treasurer ; L. W. Nuttall, Sec. County Association, Philipsburg.

Department Superintendents : Miss Helen Bartholomew, Home Department ; Miss Orpha Gramley, Cradle Roll ; M. T. Zubler, Teacher Training ; G. L. Goodhart, O. A. B. C.

Surprised Mr. Eungard.

A grand birthday surprise party was given the other evening in honor of Emanuel Eungard, at his home near Penns Cave.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Albert C. Mark, J. A. Eungard, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Vonada, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hagen and son, Ralph, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Foreman and family, Mary C. and Sarah A., Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Fetterolf and daughter, Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Frankenberger and family, Mary, Sarah M., John B. and Chas. L., Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lucas, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob T. McCool and family, Ammon, John and Robert, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Grove and sons, Guyer and Russel, Mr. and Mrs. John Long, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Swab, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eungard and daughters, Maud and Mary, Mrs. Geo. Long and daughters, Ethel, Mildred and Mary, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve. Eungard and daughters, Helen and Sarah, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. D. Bartges and family, Jennie, Anna, Harry and Albert, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Weaver and daughter, Maud, Mrs. L. D. Orndorf, Mrs. Margaret Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Rote, Miss Erma Vonada, Paul Wert, Earl Vonada, William Hassenplug, and Laura Foust. The refreshments served were delicious, and all enjoyed the evening greatly.

Won A Good Prize.

Frank Lingle, of Tusseyville, was the winner of the guessing contest held at the recent Grangers Picnic by W. Gross Mingle. The guessing contest was based upon the total shipments of Universal Portland Cement from all plants of the Universal Portland Cement Co., of Chicago, Pittsburgh and Minneapolis, during the month of September. The records produced by the Cement Co. show that the shipments in September aggregated 4,594,560 sacks. The nearest guess was made by Frank Lingle, the winner, whose estimate was 4,586,932 sacks. The second closest guess was made R. T. Eisenhuth, of Petersburg, whose estimate was 4,610,000 sacks and the winner of the third prize was S. A. Stover, of Oak Hall, who placed his estimate at 4,622,222. W. Gross Mingle offered forty-eight sacks of cement as prizes to the successful contestants. Very wide interest in the contest and in the attractive exhibit of Mr. Mingle was shown.

Y. M. C. A.

The organized convention of the Center County Young Men's Christian Association will be held in Bellefonte on Saturday morning, November ninth. The convention will open at 9:30 A. M. and close with a luncheon in the gymnasium of the Bellefonte Association at 12 o'clock, thus enabling the delegates to catch the afternoon trains for home.

In a recent issue of the Reporter under the correspondence column, a communication appeared, signed by David B. Kline, which was intended to be signed "Polly Lewis," the nom de plume under which Mr. Kline writes for newspapers. The letter was written from Ocean Park, California, where Mr. and Mrs. Kline were temporarily stopping, their home being in Los Angeles. Mrs. Kline, before marriage, was Miss Ella Ross, daughter of David Ross, of Linden Hall, and will be recalled by many of the readers of this paper.

DEATHS

Mrs Daniel Weaver, for nearly forty years a resident of Brush Valley, died at her home south of Murray's school house on Thursday morning. She had been almost an invalid during the past eight or nine months, and needed and received much care and attention during that time. She was born near Bellefonte, and was aged seventy-two years, one month and three days. Her maiden name was Lydia A. Straub. Almost forty years ago she and her husband moved onto the farm where she died, the same having been inherited by her husband. She was a woman unassuming in her manners, and much devoted to her home. She was a member of the Lutheran church since her youth, holding a membership in the Union congregation worshiping at Farmers Mills, and it was in the cemetery connected with that church in which her body was laid to rest on Monday morning, her pastor, Rev. F. W. Barry officiating.

The husband and seven children survive, namely : Newton E., Altoona; George F., at home ; Mrs. Emma Hall, Lebanon, Ohio ; William H., and Cora B., at home ; Mrs. Charles H. Miller, Salona ; Mrs. B. B. Miller, Jersey Shore. One sister, Mrs. Isaac Miller, of Bellefonte, also survives.

Annie, wife of M. E. McWilliams, died on Sunday evening at her home at Rock Springs, where she was born about sixty years ago. Interment was made at Graysville, on Tuesday, and the last rites were attended by a large number of people, the family connections—Riders, Glenns, Goheens, Baileys—being very large.

Mrs. Williams was the daughter of John Goheen. She was a member of the Presbyterian church, in which body she was quite active, and was also a Sunday-school teacher for many years. Her marriage to Mr. McWilliams took place in February, 1871. There survive her six of her eight children. She was one of ten children, two brothers and two sisters of whom survive, namely, McWilliams Goheen, Tyrone ; Robert G. Goheen, Baileyville ; Mrs. Ella Gardner, Rock Springs ; Miss Bella Goheen, Rock Springs.

George P. Hall died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Miles, of Milesburg. Had he lived till January 9, 1913, he would have been eighty years of age. He was born in Union township and spent nearly all his life there. In 1862 he enlisted in Co. B., 148th Pa. Vol. Inf., and was wounded at the battle of Gettysburg, being shot through the lung.

Mr. Hall was married to Miss Rebecca Miller, who died about nineteen years ago. He leaves four sons and two daughters, viz : Mark, of Union township ; Alfred and Eli, of Osceola Mills ; Cyrus, of Tyrone ; Mrs. John Miles, of Milesburg and Mrs. David Keatly, of Unionville.

John Hoy, one of the best known citizens of Walker township, died at his home near Hublersburg, after a long period of poor health. He was a native of Marion township and was eighty-seven years of age. He was twice married, his first wife being Miss Susan Hoy and his second Mrs. Gramley, who survives. He also leaves the following children : Mrs. Emma Smith and Mrs. Middie Garbrick, of Decatur, Illinois ; Holloway Hoy, of Hublersburg, and Edwin at home. For many years he was a devout member of the Reformed church and Revs. Hooyer, Fleck and Crow, officiated at the funeral. Burial was made in the Jacksonville cemetery.

Mrs. Amelia Rebecca Shuey, wife of John D. Shuey, died at the Clearfield hospital, after an operation for a goiter. The deceased was aged forty-five years, seven months, twenty days, and was the daughter of George Behrer, of Benore. Funeral services were held from her home in Tyrone. Interment was made at Pine Hall.

Mrs. Cora Gill died at the Bellefonte hospital of typhoid fever. She was born at Benore, and lived there all her life, a period of twenty-two years. There survive the husband, George Gill, and two children. Interment was made in the Pine Hall cemetery.

After a week's illness with the grip Anna Barbara, the three months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Corl, died one day last week. The parents, one brother and a sister survive. Rev. S. C. Stover officiated at the burial which was made in the Pine Hall cemetery.

Deaths of Centre Countians.

Mrs Stella Bower, wife of Elmer Bower, at Tyrone, aged thirty-nine years. She was the daughter of Calvin Cheeseman, of Snow Shoe.

TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS

If there ever was a busy time in Centre Hall its just now.

Sunday was a fine day and there were many automobiles on the road.

Hon. Leonard Rhone made a trip to Harrisburg and other points last week.

C. E. Gheen, of Rauchtown, is in this section and is tuning musical instruments.

On Friday afternoon, Mrs. M. F. Rossman, of Tusseyville, went to Altoona to be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Charles W. Geary.

Nature, after all, is the best road builder. In dry weather any old road is quite passable, but it's when the rains come that makes the trouble.

Mrs. Catharine Horner, who sold her property in Centre Hall, last week moved to one of the Horner properties, above the Van Valzah farm, west of Centre Hall.

Mrs. Howard Spangler and children have left Bellefonte and will make their home with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown, in New York. Mr. Spangler will remain in Bellefonte.

For the first time in many years a deficit has been reported by the managers of Tressler Orphans' Home at Loysville. More children are being cared for at the home than ever before.

Messrs. B. D. Brisbin, of Centre Hall, and W. W. Swabb, of Linden Hall, were appointed assistant state fire marshals to I. Joseph L. Baldwin. The appointment is made under the act of June 3rd, 1911.

A horse valued at $175, owned by M. P. Musser, of near Zion, died one day last week. While Mr. Musser is a very successful farmer and has abundant means to replace the animal, he had no desire to part with his best horse in that way.

Mrs. W. H. Homan, who underwent an operation at the Lock Haven hospital, was brought to her home near Centre Hall by her husband on Saturday. Her condition is very favorable, and her friends are anticipating her complete recovery.

Eighty Spy apples make a bushel—fill out nice and rounding a bushel measure—if picked from a tree in B. H. Arney's orchard. About eight years ago he grafted a Spy shoot onto a wild tree, and the result is the kind of apples mentioned above.

To be with his wife at the Lock Haven hospital over Sunday, Harry E. Reish went to that institution on Saturday. Mrs. Reish is getting along nicely, and expects to be able to leave the hospital and come to her home near Centre Hall the latter part of this week.

After spending the summer months at her parental home at Shingletown, Mrs. Jessie Sharp and children left for Steamboat Springs, Colorado, Wednesday morning of last week. They will stop off at Altoona for a few days before embarking on their four days' journey westward.

Wednesday night of last week the thermometer was busy pushing the mercury downward until twenty-nine was reached—or three degrees below the freezing point. It was the first real frosty morning during October, and made one feel like whistling through his fingers.

Farmers are beginning to husk corn and find the crop in very good condition. On some farms the yield will be as good, and perhaps better than for a number of years, while on other farms the yield will be below the average. Taking the crop as a whole, it may be said to be well up to the average in yield and quality. The favorable weather—dry during October—had much to do with the maturing of the grain.

Dick Miller, who for some time has been staying with his aunt, Mrs. James H. Smetzler, in Centre Hall, is very seriously ill, and Sunday his life was despaired of, he having suffered a severe hemorrhage of the nose. Mr. Miller, who is now about thirty years old, was a "grinder" in the Mill Hall axe factory, and his suffering is due to grinder's consumption, a disease frequently attacking those who follow axe grinding.

The Journal states how nearly Millheim had a fire that might have caused great loss. Saturday evening, a small boy with matches came near causing a costly conflagration in Millheim. A banana crate was left standing against Rev. W. J. Dice's barn, and a mischievous boy happened along with matches and set fire to the contents of the crate. Frank Breon, who works at the Homan sales stable, saw the smoke and hurried to the scene and tilted the burning box away from the stable. Possibly a minute more and the fire would have communicated to the hay and straw on the loft and the stable and adjoining buildings would have been burned.

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THE SAVING HABIT.

One of the most difficult and at the same time most essential of habits to form is that of saving. Of course, there are many persons in all walks of life who, although they are in comfortable circumstances, are so penurious as to be absolutely opposed to parting even with their pennies. Their very lives are controlled by the idea of getting along with as little as possible even at the risk of earning for themselves a reputation for stinginess. Such persons, however, make up a class all to themselves, and generally deserve the contempt in which they are held by their fellow-beings. On the other hand, the spendthrift deserves as much, if not more, condemnation, perhaps, for the facility with which he allows his often hard-earned money to slip through his hands. There is a golden mean between these two extremes of character and it is found in the ability of a man to save from his earnings sufficient for the proverbial rainy day. The advantages of saving may be demonstrated to us in many ways and on many occasions, but it remains for necessity to impress its importance upon our minds. It may be that the manner of living may account in large measure for the universal habit of spending all that we make—the opportunities for doing so are very great and at the same time seem very real and imperative, and it is only after the pocket is empty and we face stern necessity that we are able to discriminate between opportunity and temptation.

Palestine is fast becoming one of the great orange-growing countries of the world. Much fruit of excellent quality is being shipped every year to London and other markets in northern Europe, and this year the crop of the district near Jaffa, the port of Jerusalem, is estimated at 1,500,000 boxes. Farther up the Syrian coast Tyre and Sidon are expected to reach a total of 400,000 cases of oranges exported and 200,000 cases of lemons. For a small country Palestine has many interesting and valuable products. Its olive groves are as productive as they are ancient, and its vineyards yield grapes of fine quality in great abundance. Notwithstanding the drawback of a sometimes very deficient and usually scanty water supply, Syria produces a large quantity of excellent food. But it is not easy to think of Palestine's exports of oranges without thinking of the immeasurably more important exports and ideas and ideals from that little country. By comparison with the moral and spiritual forces which have gone out from Syria to enrich the world, all the products of the soil which can be shipped from the ports as long as the earth shall endure will be of little significance.

There has been a great deal of gossip to the effect that the little Don Jaime, younger son of King Alfonso of Spain, is physically and mentally defective. A recent dispatch from Madrid announces that nine physicians recently held a consultation on his case and pronounce him perfectly normal, though he is afflicted with an affection of the ears which has persisted since his birth. When there is any shadow of basis for sensational statements concerning members of royalty, correspondents who thrive on gossip are sure to make the most of it.

North Pacific whalers are not unanimous in accepting the theory that whale fisheries are playing out on account of the extinction of the whales. One captain who notes that his ship and another made a kill of 187 last year and only 54 this year, thinks the recent volcanic disturbances have made changes in ocean currents that have diverted the small fish on which the whales depend for food. He thinks that in time the whales will be back in their old-time haunts, or discovered in their new ones.

The United States consul at Prague says there are practically no flies in Bohemia. He attributes the phenomenon to the fact that "everything is made of brick, stone or concrete, and the streets are cleaned several times a day." The reason why the fly is feared is that his habits are so dirty. Yet where he is numerous, his numbers indicate the presence of dirt. Undoubtedly the best way to get rid of flies is not to "swat" them, but to clean up.

A Scranton pedagogue says the teacher's first aim should be to interest the child, therefore he urges the use of slang. The teacher's standing on one foot might also interest the pupil and be about as useful, but it is not advocated.

A groom of twenty-nine who eloped with a bride of eighty may not have picked a budding beauty; but he has the consolation of knowing he hasn't annexed himself to a mother-in-law.

BUYING NAVY SHELLS ABROAD

Uncle Sam May Stop Exorbitant Bids.

SMALL ORDER TO BRITAIN.

English Company Awarded Small Contract Shells As a Test—Domestic Concerns Receive Remainder Of Big Order.

Washington.—Determined to learn whether foreign manufacturers can sell the United States navy shells of equal quality for one-third less than the lowest price Americans will offer, the Navy Department awarded a contract to the Hadfield Steel Foundry Company of Sheffield for 500 out of a total of 5,500 armor-piercing projectiles contracted for. Department officials believe that if the English product measures up to the test, the avowed intention of the government to buy abroad when necessary to meet exorbitant bids will result in a substantial lowering of American prices.

The Hadfield company was given the contract for 500 12-inch projectiles at $187 each. To the Bethlehem Steel Company went 1,500 12-inch at $279.40 each and 500 14-inch at $500 each; to the Washington Steel and Ordnance Company, 500 12-inch at $277 each and 1,000 14-inch at $490 each, and to the Crucible Steel Company of America 1,000 12-inch at $274.75 each and 500 14-inch at $500 each. The Hadfield share amounts to $93,500 out of a total of $1,915,950. This compay was given none of the 14-inch projectiles, although on them it bid almost $100 less apiece than its lowest American competitor and was the only concern that offered to undertake the entire contract.

Attorney General Wickersham has prepared an opinion advising the Navy Department that the eight hour law will be made to apply in the shell contracts equally to American and foreign builders. The only point in the new law which the Attorney General had to decide was at what point in construction of government work the eight-hour law must begin. Acting Secretary of the Navy Winthrop was not ready to make the opinion public.

Contracts were let for large quantities of shells other than the 12 and 14-inch armor piercers, on which only American companies bid.

SECRET LABOR COUNCIL.

American Federation Is Worried Over Present Conditions.

Washington.—Aroused over the labor conditions in the United States the executive council of the American Federation of Labor began a secret conference to consider the various phases of the situation. Among the subjects which will be given exhaustive consideration is the outgrowth of the Lawrence, Mass., textile strike and the present trial for murder of the leaders of that industrial struggle.

GAVE 800 TYPHOID.

Mississippi River Steamer Cause Of Unusual Outbreak In South.

Washington.—An investigation of a typhoid fever outbreak along the Mississippi river has been found by the public health service to have been due to water supplied to passengers on an excursion steamer. Investigators found that 800 passengers were made ill on the steamer in July.

TAFT TO VISIT PANAMA.

He Contemplates Trip To Canal After Election Next Month.

Beverly, Mass.—President Taft is contemplating a trip to Panama to inspect the canal. It is probable that after the election he will board a battleship with Mrs. Taft and leave the country for two weeks.

CHICAGO EDITOR KILLED.

C. W. Prior In Fatal Auto Accident. Four Others Hurt.

Chicago.—C. W. Prior, editor of a trade publication, was instantly killed and four others were seriously injured when Mr. Prior's automobile was wrecked near Hinsdale, a suburb. Occupants of the machine were pinioned beneath it when it left the road on a steep hill and turned over.

U. S. CONSUL A SUICIDE.

William Whitney Kitchen Shoots Himself At Teneriffe Home.

Teneriffe.—William Whitney Kitchen, United States Consul here, committed suicide by shooting himself with a revolver. He was a sufferer from chronic heart disease.

35,000 TO CIVIL SERVICE.

Taft Gives Protection To All Fourth-Class Postmasters.

New York.—President Taft, on board the yacht Mayflower, signed an executive order putting 35,000 fourth-class postmasters in the classified service. The executive of this order will put every fourth-class postmaster in the United States under the civil service, 25,000 having previously been put in the classified list by the President.

INDIAN SUMMER

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DECLARES WAR ON THE BALKANS

Greece Decides to Join Allies and Follow Suit.

FIGHTING ON ALL BORDERS.

The North Sea Fleet Ready For An Emergency Order—Thousands Of Men Already Slain In Battle.

London.—Fighting is general along the whole length of the Turko-Bulgarian and Turko-Servian frontiers.

Forestalling the expected ultimatums from Bulgaria and Servia, the Sultan proclaimed war against those two countries. No declaration has been issued against Greece, but the Turks have crossed the Greek frontier and heavy fighting is reported from the border.

Czar Ferdinand of Bulgaria and King Peter of Servia are in personal command of the campaign. King Nicholas of Montenegro is directing the Montenegrin assault on the city of Scutari.

Dispatches received here from Constantinople, Cettinje, Sofia, Polgoritza, Belgrade and Athens show collectively that the martial uprising is general.

Thousands of troops have already been slain, but exact estimates are lacking owing to the refusal of the governments to allow the war correspondents to go to the front.

The first naval engagement was fought Thursday, Greek warships attacking a small Turkish fleet at the entrance to the Gulf of Arta. The Greek fleet also sailed for the Gulf of Sparta. Turkish ships are threatening a bombardment of Bulgarian ports on the Black Sea.

The fighting between the Turks and the Serbs centered at Nish, and the heaviest fighting between Turks and Bulgarians was done in the vicinity of Djumbala. A strong force of the Sultan's Albanian troops attacked the Servians at Prijepolje, but were repulsed with losses of 250 killed and 100 wounded.

The British Admiralty ordered eight additional battleships held in readiness for duty in Turkish waters. The North Sea fleet has been coaling and otherwise preparing for an emergency call for the past two days.

DYNAMITES TWO HOUSES.

Pittsburgh Carpenter Runs Amuck As Result Of Feud.

Pittsburgh, Pa.—Peter Messing, a carpenter, dynamited the residences of William Jackson and William Bigger at Pleasant Valley, near here; cut and seriously injured three persons and attempted suicide. The arrival of county detectives saved Messing from rough treatment at the hands of a mob. Mrs. Molly Scott, Mrs. Sarah Jackson and James Martin, the wounded, were taken to the hospital with Messing, who was said to be seriously hurt.

PAID $5,000 RANSOM.

Arthur McCormick Released By Mexican Rebels.

El Paso, Tex.—Arthur McCormick was released by Mexican rebels on the payment of $5,000 ransom. He is on his way here from the Palomas Land and Cattle Company ranch, which he manages, below Hachita, N. M. Much fear is felt for the safety of John T. Cameron, held for ransom by rebels south of Juarez.

ANDREW JACKSON'S CANE.

Portland (Ore.) Man Presents It To Governor Wilson.

New York.—A cane which had belonged to Andrew Jackson was forwarded to Governor Wilson by Chairman McCombs, of the Democratic National Committee, with a letter from George W. Oliver, of Portland, Ore., the donor, requesting that the Governor use it until after the election, then place it in the National Museum at Washington.

DIAZ MAKES IT HOT FOR MADERO

Mexico's President Says He Will Stick.

LOYALTY OF ARMY DOUBTED.

New Uprisings In Various Parts Of the Country—A Provisional Cabinet Chosen For Diaz.

Mexico City.—President Madero's administration appears to have reached a critical point. The resignation of the cabinet was demanded in the Chamber of Deputies by Deputy Querido Moheno.

With Gen. Felix Diaz, a nephew of the exiled ex-president, in undisputed control of Vera Cruz, Mexico's most important seaport, reports have reached here also of new uprisings in various parts of the republic, including the city of Pachuca, only 55 miles from the capital. Beside this the loyalty of the army is questioned.

Madero minimized the importance of the rebel movement under Diaz in an interview. He also reiterated his oft-repeated declaration that he would not resign. He said:

"Undoubtedly the news of the uprising under Felix Diaz has caused great alarm, but it should not be given more importance than it has, which, in my judgment, is not great.

"The discontented will take occasion again to call for my resignation from my post; but, as I have declared on other occasions, the legality of the government is undeniable. Therefore, I shall never resign before my term expires. Only death can remove me from the presidency before that time."

Provisional President.

Doubts as to the specific object of the Diaz revolt were removed when he was proclaimed provisional president by Col. Jose Diaz Ordaz, his cousin and commander of the Twenty-first Infantry, stationed at Vera Cruz.

So far advanced are the plans of Diaz and his supporters that they are said to have already selected a provisional cabinet.

Commodore Azueta appears to be the only government officer at Vera Cruz holding out against Diaz.

In Yucatan two new revolutionary parties began operations, one in the south and the other in the west of the state. It is assumed they are working under Diaz.

Felix Diaz, in a proclamation, copies of which have reached the capital, bitterly assails President Madero and his family. The President is accused of being a murderous tyrant, whom Diaz calls on all, especially the army, to assist him in overthrowing.

Insane Girl Seeks Taft.

Washington.—A Polish girl from New York city appeared at the White House seeking President Taft's aid in preventing New York newspapers from "tormenting her." She said she was Stefanie Linjieria, of 219 West One Hundred and Twenty-first street, and that she had been in the country only a year. She was sent to the Washington Asylum Hospital for mental observation.

Killed At Detroit.

Winchester, Va.—Mrs. George Reynolds, of Edgemont, near Berryville, received a telegram stating that her son, Fuller Reynolds, was killed at Detroit, Mich., in a railroad accident. He was married several months ago. He was on the battleship Maine when that vessel was blown up in Havana harbor.

A Note To United States.

Washington.—Formal notice of the Balkan war came to the United States Friday in a note presented to the State Department by the Greek government requesting this country to maintain a neutral position in the conflict. The State Department also was reminded that Greece's declaration of war against Turkey was in accordance with the terms of The Hague Convention of 1907, and that full protection will be accorded non-combatants in Greece.

123 FIGHTING CRAFT IN LINE

Fleet, Manned By 28,000 Seamen, Thunders a Salute—Executive For Two Armorclads a Year.

New York.—President Taft stood on the bridge of the Mayflower Monday afternoon with Secretary of the Navy Meyer beside him and inspected a fleet of war vessels upon whose like no other President of the United States had ever gazed.

For 15 miles up the Hudson river he passed before the armada of ironclads which has meen mobilized here since Saturday. Most of the journey was made between a double line of cruisers and battleships, and all the way from Thirty-first street to within hailing distance of Yonkers, the cannonade of a Presidential salute swept over the water.

"Well," the President said, as he left the bridge after the Mayflower had returned to her anchorage, "everybody ought to be proud of that fleet."

The naval attaches of Great Britain, Germany, Japan, Italy and a half score of other nations sat with the President and watched the 15-mile panorama of fighting ships unroll.

Calls by Secretary Meyer and his aids, by Rear-Admiral Osterhaus, the fleet commander, and the division commander, and the division commanders and a return of the calls by the President preceded the inspection in the afternoon.

President Taft was the principal speaker at night at the banquet at the Hotel Astor given by Mayor Gaynor in honor of the President, his Cabinet and 600 officers of the fleet. The President, after thanking the Mayor and people of New York for the hospitality shown to the officers and men of the fleet, discussed the navy at some length.

ITALY GAINER BY PEACE TREATY

The terms Are Satisfactory To the Italian Government, Which Acquires Vast African Colony.

Rome.—The Italian press is elated over the signature of peace with Turkey at Ouchy, and hails it generally as the crowning of the Italian victories on the battlefields in Tripoli.

The newspapers declare that Turkey ceded only after Italy had sent her ultimatum fixing a limit of time for the negotiations, and they say that the peace treaty proves in accord with and completely safeguards Italian rights and dignity. They conclude that the general satisfaction of Italy is assured at the acquisition of a vast African colony, which can be easily defended as it lies on the Mediterranean.

Ouchy, Switzerland. — The peace treaty between Italy and Turkey provides that the Sultan shall issue a decree proclaiming the autonomy of the Tripolitan province of Libya, and that after this has been done the Italian government shall issue a decree establishing in Libya a system of government based on Italian sovereignty.

The Turkish government is to grant an amnesty to the populations of the islands in the Aegean Sea, who revolted during the war against Turkish rule.

NEW COMMERCE RECORDS.

Political Unrest Does Not Affect Imports and Exports.

Washington.—Despite the existence of political unrest, the imports and exports of the United States for the month of September and for the nine months ended with that month established new records according to a report by the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce. The imports for last month aggregated $144,862,343, the previous record figure being in September of last year, when they totaled $125,171,644. In the nine months ended with last month the imports reached the sum of $1,333,125,577, as against the previous record for the corresponding months of 1910 of $1,172,362,409.

Scarcely less gratifying were the exports for September, the total that month being $196,943,811, against $193,632,232 for September of last year. For the nine months ended with September the goods shipped abroad were valued at $1,588,721,077, upwards of one hundred million dollars more than left American ports during the same period of last year, which had established a new record.

EXPLOSION KILLS TWO.

Two Others Injured, One Probably Fatally, When Boiler Blows Up.

Cumberland, Md.—Two were killed and two injured, one probably fatally, when the boiler at the sawmill of D. W. Eagle, along the New Creek road two miles above Keyser, W. Va., blew up. Five were working at the mill, and Alex Shears alone escaped injury. He was with the other men, but did not receive a scratch.

FATAL TENEMENT FIRE.

Three Lives Lost; Two Others May Die At Tarrytown, N. Y.

Tarrytown, N. Y.—Two girls and an infant lost their lives and two women received burns, from which they may die, in a fire that swept through a big frame tenement house in North Tarrytown. In the excitement the infant was thrown from a second-story window and its skull crushed in. Thirty families that occupied the building were driven out in their night clothes.

SNAPSHOTS AT STATE NEWS

All Pennsylvania Gleaned for Items of Interest.

REPORTS ABOUT CROPS GOOD

Farmers Busy in Every Locality—Churches Raising Funds for Many Worthy Objects—Items of Business and Pleasure that Interest.

Pottstown has four cases of typhoid fever.

E. F. Kinkle, of Macungie, raised 205 bushels of potatoes from half an acre of land.

One thousand men, with bands, paraded on Columbus day in South Bethlehem.

After making extensive improvements, Yardley claims the finest street in the State.

The Duplex Metals Co., of Chester, has prepared plans for the doubling of its plant.

Samuel Pearman, who slipped out of the Allentown jail, is back in a cell, double-locked.

Weston, a small mining town near Hazleton, is alarmed over an outbreak of diphtheria, and the schools have been closed.

In mass football plays W. J. Basler, of Port Carbon, and Robert Swartz, of Pottsville, were seriously injured and put to bed.

Stooping to pick up a foot-rule at the St. Clair Coal Company's breaker, George Evans fell down 75 steps and broke his skull.

Edson J. Catlin, of Wellsboro, has been appointed a trustee of Mansfield State Normal School, succeeding Robert K. Young, resigned.

While wheeling a barrow at the Bethlehem Steel Works, Michael Kane lost his balance and fell, fracturing a rib.

For the first time, Columbus day was celebrated in Allentown as a general holiday, in which the entire town participated.

C. M. Schwab, the steel magnate, has given his check for $50 to the Bethlehem Poultry Association for special prizes in the ribbon classes.

Residents of Hartsville and vicinity have petitioned the Bucks County Commissioners for a new bridge over the Nashaminy at Darrah's Mill.

Moravian ministers, in synod at South Bethlehem, called on churches to open their buildings for six days of activity as well as for one day of worship.

The three-year-old son of Richard Coombes, of Bloomingdale, Carbon county, strayed from home and when he was found he was sitting on a stump in a field more than three miles distant.

Chas. Becker and Chas. Minnick, of Harrisburg, while fishing below the Rockville bridge captured seven large bass and three salmon. The prize catch was a ten-pound salmon, measuring 30 inches in length and 15 1-2 inches in circumference. At Millersburg large catches have been reported, bass being quite plentiful. The successful anglers have been H. W. Rowe, Edward Hain, Charles Bitterman, John Rathvon, L. I. Lehman and Earl Leuker.

It is estimated that in the vicinity of Turbotville and McEwensville 500 chickens have been stolen within the past month. Whole barnyards of fowls have been taken. It is believed the thieves have a horse and wagon in which to carry off their harvest of fowls. Northumberland County Detective Forbes will endeavor to run down the thieves. Residents are considering the methods to catch the robbers. Watchers grew tired and abandoned the effort.

Frank Delbert, who stated Shamokin was his home, attended a fair at Bloomsburg and by mistake took a train to Williamsport, where officers considered it advisable to chaperon him temporarily. The following morning he offered the Alderman who was sitting on his case one dollar and ten cents in money, an Ingersoll watch and a piece of iron chain in payment of his fine, but the articles were not deemed sufficient by the Alderman and the official surveillance was continued over the stranger.

"Judge" W. C. Wells, of West Chester, has been in Bellefonte, assisting C. G. Griffin in making abstracts of titles for the land secured by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for a change of route of the Bald Eagle Valley Railroad.

Charles Sauppee, a 16-year-old Reading boy, pleaded guilty to the charge of breaking into Reading Railway freight cars with two others and stealing seven umbrellas, 37 boxes of chocolates and 33 pairs of hose valued at $60.

THE PRODIGAL JUDGE

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SYNOPSIS.

The scene at the opening of the story is laid in the library of an old worn-out southern plantation, known as the Barony. The place is to be sold, and its history and that of the owners, the Quintards, is the subject of discussion by Jonathan Crenshaw, a business man, a stranger known as Bladen, and Bob Yancy, a farmer, when Hannibal Wayne Hazard, a mysterious child of the old southern family, makes his appearance. Yancy tells how he adopted the boy. Nathaniel Ferris buys the Barony, but the Quintards deny any knowledge of the boy. Yancy to keep Hannibal. Captain Murrell, a friend of the Quintards, appears and asks questions about the Barony. Trouble at Scratch Hill, when Hannibal is kidnaped by Dave Blount, Captain Murrell's agent. Yancy overtakes Blount, gives him a thrashing and secures the boy. Yancy appears before Squire Balaam, and is discharged with costs for the plaintiff. Betty Malroy, a friend of the Ferrises, has an encounter with Captain Murrell, who forces his attentions on her, and is rescued by Bruce Carrington. Betty sets out for her Tennessee home. Carrington takes the same stage. Yancy and Hannibal disappear, with Murrell on their trail. Hannibal arrives at the home of Judge Slocum Price. The Judge recognizes in the boy, the grandson of an old time friend. Murrell arrives at Judge's home. Cavendish family on raft rescue Yancy, who is apparently dead. Price breaks jail. Betty and Carrington arrive at Belle Plain. Hannibal's rifle discloses some startling things to the judge. Hannibal and Betty meet again. Murrell arrives in Belle Plain. Is playing for big stakes. Yancy awakes from long dreamless sleep on board the raft. Judge Price makes startling discoveries in looking up land titles. Charley Norton, a young planter, who assists the judge, is mysteriously assaulted. Norton informs Carrington that Betty has promised to marry him. Norton is mysteriously shot. More light on Murrell's plot. He plans uprising of negroes. Judge Price, with Hannibal, visits Betty, and she keeps the boy as a companion. In a stroll Betty takes with Hannibal they meet Bess Hicks, daughter of the overseer, who warns Betty of danger and counsels her to leave Belle Plain at once. Betty, terrified, acts on Bess' advice, and on their the tavern keeper, and a confederate, and Betty and Hannibal are made prisoners. The pair are taken to Hicks' cabin, in an almost inaccessible spot, and there Murrell visits Betty and reveals his part in the plot and his object. Betty spurns his proffered love and the interview is ended by the arrival of Ware, terrified at possible outcome of the crime. Judge Price, hearing of the abduction, plans action.

CHAPTER XXII.

The Judge Takes Charge.

All work on the plantation had stopped, and the hundreds of slaves—men, women and children—were gathered about the house. Among these moved the members of the dominant race. The judge would have attached himself to the first group, but he heard a whispered question, and the answer:

"Miss Malroy's lawyer."

Clearly it was not for him to mix with these outsiders, these curiosity seekers. He crossed the lawn to the house, and mounted the steps. In the doorway was big Steve, while groups of men stood about in the hall, the hum of busy purposeless talk pervading the place. The judge frowned. This was all wrong.

"Has Mr. Ware returned from Memphis?" he asked of Steve.

"No, sah; not yet."

"Then show me into the library," said the judge with bland authority, surrendering his hat to the butler. "Come along, Mahaffy!" he added. They entered the library, and the judge motioned Steve to close the door. "Now, boy, you'll kindly ask those people to withdraw—you may say it is Judge Price's orders. Allow no one to enter the house unless they have business with me, or as I send for them—you understand? After you have cleared the house, you may bring me a decanter of corn whisky—stop a bit—you may ask the sheriff to step here."

"Yes, sah." And Steve withdrew.

The judge drew an easy-chair up to the flat-topped desk that stood in the center of the room, and seated himself.

"Are you going to make this the excuse for another drunk, Price? If so, I feel the greatest contempt for you," said Mahaffy sternly.

The judge winced at this.

"You have made a regrettable choice of words, Solomon," he urged gently.

"Where's your feeling for the boy?"

"Here!" said the judge, with an eloquent gesture, resting his hand on his heart.

"If you let whisky alone, I'll believe you; otherwise what I have said must stand."

The door opened, and the sheriff slouched into the room. He was chewing a long wheat straw, and his whole appearance was one of troubled weakness.

"Morning," he said briefly.

"Sit down, sheriff," and the judge indicated a bench seat for the official in a distant corner. "Have you learned anything?" he asked.

The sheriff shook his head.

"What you turning all these neighbors out of doors for?" he questioned.

"We don't want people tracking in and out the house, sheriff. Important evidence may be destroyed. I propose examining the slaves first—does that meet with your approval?"

"Oh, I've talked with them; they don't know nothing," said the sheriff. "No one don't know nothing."

"Please God, we may yet put our fingers on some villain who does," said the judge.

Outside it was noised about that Judge Price had taken matters in hand—he was the old fellow who had been warned to keep his mouth shut, and who had never stopped talking since. A crowd collected beyond the library windows and feasted its eyes on the back of this hero's bald head.

One by one the house servants were ushered into the judge's presence. First he interrogated little Steve, who had gone to Miss Betty's door that morning to rouse her, as was his custom. Next he examined Betty's maid; then the cook, and various house servants, who had nothing especial to tell, but told it at considerable length; and lastly big Steve.

"Stop a bit," the judge suddenly interrupted the butler in the midst of his narrative. "Does the overseer always come up to the house the first thing in the morning?"

"Why, not exactly, sah, but he come up this mo'ning, sah. He was talking to me at the back of the house, when the women run out with the word that Missy was done gone away."

"He joined in the search?"

"Yes, sah."

"When was Miss Malroy seen last?" asked the judge.

"She and the young gemman you fotched heah were seen in the gyarden along about sundown. I seen them myself."

"They had had supper?"

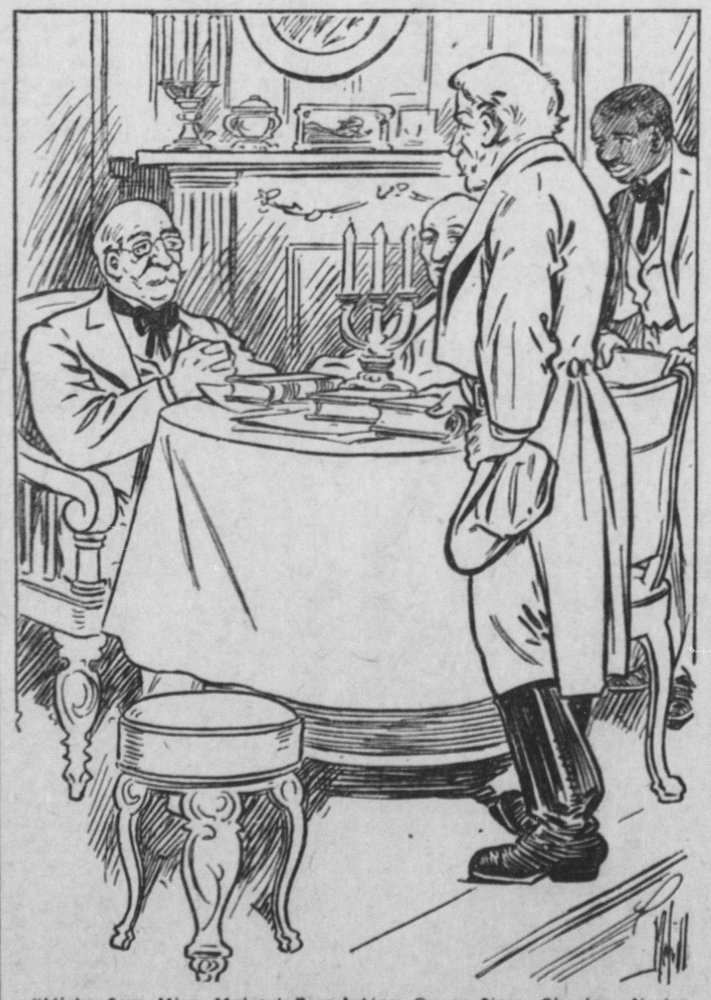
"Yes, sah."

"Who sleeps here?"

"Just little Steve and three of the women; they sleeps at the back of the house, sah."

"No sounds were heard during the night?"

"No, sah."



"Hicks Says Miss Malroy's Been Acting Queer Since Charley Norton Was Shot."

"I'll see the overseer—what's his name?—Hicks? Suppose you go for him!" said the judge, addressing the sheriff.

The sheriff was gone from the room only a few moments, and returned with the information that Hicks was down at the bayou, which was to be dragged.

"Why?" inquired the judge.

"Hicks says Miss Malroy's been acting mighty queer ever since Charley Norton was shot—distracted like! He says he noticed it, and that Tom Ware noticed it."

"How does he explain the boy's disappearance?"

"He reckons she throwed herself in, and the boy tried to drag her out, like he naturally would, and got drawed in."

"Humph! I'll trouble Mr. Hicks to step here," said the judge quietly.

"There's Mr. Carrington and a couple of strangers outside who've been asking about Miss Malroy and the boy; seems like the strangers knowed her and him back yonder in No'th Carolina," said the sheriff as he turned away.

"I'll see them." The sheriff went from the room and the judge dismissed the servants.

"Well, what do you think, Price?" asked Mahaffy anxiously when they were alone.

"Rubbish! Take my word for it, Solomon, this blow is leveled at me. I have been too forward in my attempts to suppress the carnival of crime that is raging through west Tennessee. You'll observe that Miss Malroy disappeared at a moment when the public is disposed to think she has retained me as her legal adviser; probably she will be set at liberty when she agrees to drop the matter of Norton's murder. As for the boy, they'll use him to compel my silence and inaction." The judge took a long breath. "Yet there remains one point where the boy is concerned that completely baffles me. If we knew just a little more of his antecedents it might cause me to make a startling and radical move."

Mahaffy was clearly not impressed by the vague generalities in which the judge was dealing.

"There you go, Price, as usual, trying to convince yourself that you are the center of everything!" he said, in a tone of much exasperation. "Let's get down to business! What does this man Hicks mean by hinting at suicide? You saw Miss Malroy yesterday?"

"You have put your finger on a point of some significance," said the judge. "She bore evidence of the shock and loss she had sustained; aside from that she was quite as she has always been."

"Well, what do you want to see Hicks for? What do you expect to learn from him?"

"I don't like his insistence on the idea that Miss Malroy is mentally unbalanced. It's a question of some delicacy—the law, sir, fully recognizes that. It seems to me he is overanxious to account for her disappearance in a manner that can compromise no one."

CHAPTER XXIII.

The Judge Finds Allies.

They were interrupted by the opening of the door, and big Steve admitted Carrington and the two men of whom the sheriff had spoken.

"A shocking condition of affairs, Mr. Carrington!" said the judge by way of greeting.

"Yes," said Carrington shortly.

"You left these parts some time ago, I believe?" continued the judge.

"The day before Norton was shot. I had started home for Kentucky. I heard of his death when I reached Randolph on the second bluff," explained Carrington, from whose cheeks the weather-beaten bloom had faded. He rested his hand on the edge of the desk and turned to the men who had followed him into the room. "This is the gentleman you wish to see," he said, and stepped to one of the windows; it overlooked the terraces where he had said good-by to Betty scarcely a week before.

The two men had paused by the door. They now advanced. One was gaunt and haggard, his face disfigured by a great red scar; the other was a shock-headed individual who moved with a shambling gait. Both carried rifles and both were dressed in coarse homespun.

"Morning, sir," said the man with the scar. "Yancy's my name, and this gentleman 'lows he'd rather be known now as Mr. Cavendish."

The judge started to his feet.

"Bob Yancy?" he cried.

"Yes, sir, that's me." The judge passed nimbly around the desk and shook the Scratch Hiller warmly by the hand. "Where's my nevvy, sir?—what's all this about him and Miss Betty?" Yancy's soft drawl was suddenly eager.

"Please God we'll recover him soon!" said the judge.

By the window Carrington moved impatiently. No harm could come to the boy, but Betty—a shudder went through him.

"They've stolen him." Yancy spoke with conviction. "I reckon they've started back to No'th Carolina with him—only that don't explain what's come of Miss Betty, does it?" and he dropped rather helplessly into a chair.

"Bob are just getting off a sick bed. He's been powerful porely in consequence of having his head laid open and then being throwed into the Elk river, where I fished him out," explained Cavendish, who still continued to regard the judge with unmixed astonishment, first cocking his shaggy head on one side and then on the other, his bleached eyes narrowed to a slit. Now and then he favored the austere Mahaffy with a fleeting glance. He seemed intuitively to understand the comradeship of their degradation.

"Mr. Cavendish fetched me here on his raft. We tied up to the sho' this morning. It was there we met Mr. Carrington—I'd knowed him slightly back yonder in No'th Carolina," continued Yancy. "He said I'd find Hannibal with you. I was counting a heap on seeing my nevvy."

Carrington, no longer able to control himself, swung about on his heel.

"What's been done?" he asked, with fierce repression. "What's going to be done? Don't you know that every second is precious?"

"I am about to conclude my investigations, sir," said the judge with dignity.

Carrington stepped to the door. After all, what was there to expect of these men? Whatever their interest, it was plainly centered in the boy. He passed out into the hall.

As the door closed on him the judge turned again to the Scratch Hiller.

"Mr. Yancy, Mr. Mahaffy and I hold your nephew in the tenderest regard; he has been our constant companion ever since you were lost to him. In this crisis you may rely upon us; we are committed to his recovery, no matter what it involves." The judge's tone was one of unalterable resolution.

"I reckon you-all have been mighty good and kind to him," said Yancy huskily.

"We have endeavored to be, Mr. Yancy—indeed I had formed the resolution legally to adopt him should you not come to claim him. I should have given him my name, and made him my heir. His education has already begun under my supervision," and the judge, remembering the high use to which he had dedicated one of Pegloe's trade labels, fairly glowed with philanthropic fervor.

"Think of that!" murmured Yancy softly. He was deeply moved. So was Mr. Cavendish, who was gifted with a wealth of ready sympathy. He thrust out a hardened hand to the judge.

"Shake!" he said. "You're a heap better than you look." A thin ripple of laughter escaped Mahaffy, but the judge accepted Chills and Fever's proffered hand. He understood that here was a simple genuine soul.

"Price, isn't it important for us to know why Mr. Yancy thinks the boy has been taken back to North Carolina?" said Mahaffy.

"Just what kin is Hannibal to you, Mr. Yancy?" asked the judge resuming his seat.

"Strictly speaking, he ain't none. That he come to live with me is all owing to Mr. Crenshaw, who's a good man when left to himself, but he's got a wife, so a body may say he never is left to himself," began Yancy; and then briefly he told the story of the woman and the child much as he had told it to Bladen at the Barony the day of General Quintard's funeral.

The judge, his back to the light and his face in shadow, rested his left elbow on the desk and with his chin sunk in his palm, followed the Scratch Hiller's narrative with the closest attention.

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STEEL TRUST TREASON

ARMING POSSIBLE ENEMIES OF THE UNITED STATES.

Under Protection It Sells Armor Plate to Foreign Nations 40 Per Cent. Cheaper Than at Home.

The steel trust is a great financial, industrial, and especially a great political institution.

Through political influence it gets free trade labor and the highest kind of "protection" on its manufactured product.

Through its control of the Roosevelt administration it received permission to break the law, and buy in at panic prices the property of its only strong competitor, the Tennessee Coal and Iron company.

Through its control of every Republican administration it has been able to follow a course of downright treason toward the United States government and still keep the favor of that government.

The steel trust sells armor plate to Japan and other foreign nations 40 per cent. cheaper than it sells the same armor plate to the government of the United States.

The armor plate for which the trust gets $100 from our own government is sold for $60 to the government of Japan!

Think what this means.

Do you understand it?

Can you grasp the full meaning of it?

It means that Japan can build a battleship of American steel for $6,000,000 which would cost our own government $10,000,000!

It means that Japan need spend only $6 to match our $10—in our own markets.

It means that for the same money Japan can build almost twice as big a fleet as our own government can, and build it of American steel!

It means that the steel trust is robbing the people of the United States with one hand and arming possible enemies of the United States with the other.

This is one use the steel trust makes of the tariff.

And the steel trust which does this comes whining to congress for "protection," and doesn't want the tariff revised save by a board of experts—steel trust experts.

Protection and Shipping.

A representative of the Cramp Shipbuilding company objects that the granting of American registry to foreign-built ships would be the application of free trade to a single industry, which strikes him as unjust. The fact is that the deep sea carrying trade is one to which the protective system cannot possibly be applied, either directly or through the protection of the shipyards.

Where both ends of a maritime route end in our own jurisdiction we can shut out foreign competition, and we do so; only ships of American registry can engage in the coastwise trade. Where one end is in our own and the other end in a foreign country we cannot apply the protective system, either by restricting the ships that may be employed, or by differential duties on the goods, or by flag duties, or differential port charges, on the vessels. It ought to be perfectly plain that any discrimination against foreign vessels will be retaliated against by foreign countries, and the logical result, and also the reductio ad absurdum, would be that all imports would come in our own vessels and all exports would go out in foreign vessels, and both domestic and foreign vessels would cross the ocean in one direction empty, and freight rates would have to be so high as to pay for the round trip with cargoes carried one way.

The deep sea carrying trade is inherently competitive, and we cannot possibly change it.

What good does it do the American shipbuilder to limit American registry to the products of his yard? Ships under foreign flags can bring goods to and take goods from our ports, and this must be so until we are willing to have our shipping barred from foreign ports. American registry is not necessary to enable a vessel to do business in our ports or even to be the property of our citizens, and Americans own a large amount of shipping under foreign flags.

If our yards are not now building vessels for the deep sea trade, how could their business be affected if American registry were granted to foreign-built ships? Our yards cannot lose anything they have not got, and never can get, until they can compete with foreign shipyards.

Colonel Roosevelt announces that it will take more than 50 years to put all his ideas into effect. He must not worry; the country will be willing to wait a great deal longer than that for most of them.—Philadelphia Press.

Taft Will Return the Call.

Gov. Wilson courteously visited President Taft when both were guests of the same Boston hotel. And we hazard nothing in saying that Mr. Taft will just as courteously visit President Wilson under similar conditions during the latter's administration. The amenities of life ought not to be lost in partisanship.

By "scientific revision of the tariff" the president is supposed to mean revision by the men who have made a science of plundering the public.

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Election Proclamation

God Save the Commonwealth. I, A. B. Lee, High Sheriff of the County of Centre, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby make known and give notice to the electors of the county aforesaid that an election will be held in the said county of Centre on the

First Tuesday in November, 1912,

being the 5th of November, 1912, for the purpose of electing the several persons hereinafter named, to wit:

Thirty-eight persons for Presidential Electors.

One person for State Treasurer.

One person for Auditor General.

Four persons for Representatives in Congress at Large.

One person for Representative in Congress.

One person for Representative in the General Assembly.

I also hereby make known and give notice that the place of holding elections in the several wards, boroughs, districts and townships within the County of Centre is as follows:

For the North Ward of the borough of Bellefonte, at the Logan Hose Co., house on east Howard street.

For the South Ward of the borough of Bellefonte, in the Garman Opera House Building, in the room formerly occupied by H. S. Taylor.

For the West Ward of the borough of Bellefonte in the carriage shop of S. A. McQuistion, in Bellefonte.

For the borough of Centre Hall, in a room at Runkle's hotel.

For the borough of Howard, at the public school in said borough.

For the borough of Millheim, in the old school house, now the Municipal building.

For the borough of Milesburg, in the borough building on Market street.

For the First Ward of the borough of Philipsburg, in the Reliance Hose house.

For the Second Ward of the borough of Philipsburg, at the Public Building at the corner of North Centre and Presqueisle streets.

For the Third Ward of the borough of Philipsburg, at the Hale school house, northeast corner of Sixth and Pre squeisle streets.

For the borough of South Philipsburg, at the City Hall in South Philipsburg.

For the borough of Snow Shoe, in the borough building.

For the borough of State College, in the State College Fire Company Building.

For the borough of Unionville, in the Grange Hall in said borough.

For the township of Benner, north precinct, at the Knox school house.

For the township of Benner, south precinct, at the Hoy's school house.

For the township of Boggs, east precinct, at the hall of Knights of Labor, in the village of Curtin.

For the township of Boggs, north precinct, at Walker's school house.

For the township of Boggs, west precinct, at the school house in Central City.

For the township of Burnside, in the building owned by William Watson, in the village of Pine Glen.

For the township of College, at the school house in the village of Lemont.

For the township of Curtin, north precinct, at the school house in the village of Orvis.

For the township of Curtin, south precinct, at the school house near Robert Mann's.

For the township of Ferguson, east precinct, at the public house of R. E. Randolph, in Pine Grove Mills.

For the township of Ferguson, west precinct, at Baileyville Hall, in the village of Baileyville.

For the township of Gregg, north precinct, at Murray's school house.

For the township of Gregg, east precinct, at the house occupied by William A. Slankatine at Penn Hall.

For the township of Gregg, west precinct, in a room at Spring Mills hotel at Spring Mills.

For the township of Haines, east precinct school house in the village of Woodward.

For the township of Haines, west precinct, at the hotel at Aaronsburg.

For the township of Halfmoon, in I. O. O. F. hall in the village of Stormstown.

For the township of Harris, east precinct, at the building owned by Harry McClellan in the village of Linden Hall.

For the township of Harris, west precinct, at the school house in the village of Boalsburg.

For the township of Howard, in the township public building.

For the township of Huston, in a building owned by J. C. Nason, in the village of Julian.

For the township of Liberty, east precinct, at the school house in Eagleville.

For the township of Liberty, west precinct, at the school house at Monument.

For the township of Marion, at the shop of Samuel Aley in the village of Jacksonville.

For the township of Miles, east precinct, at the dwelling house of William Tyson at Wolf's Store.

For the township of Miles, middle precinct, at the wagonmaker shop of W. J. Weber in Rebersburg.

For the township of Miles, west precinct, at the store room of Elias Miller in Madisonburg.

For the township of Patton, in the shop of John Hoy at Waddle.

For the township of Penn, in a building formerly owned by Luther Gulsewhite, at Colyer.

For the township of Potter, north precinct, at the Old Fort hotel.

For the township of Potter, south precinct, at the hotel in the village of Potters Mills.

For the township of Potter, west precinct, at the store of George Miess, at Colyer.

For the township of Rush, north precinct, at the Township Poor House.

For the township of Rush, east precinct, at the school house in the village of Cassanova.

For the township of Rush, south precinct, at the school house in the village of Powelton.

For the township of Snow Shoe, east precinct, at the school house near Osceola Mills, known as the Tower school house.

For the township of Snow Shoe, east precinct, at the school house in the village of Clarence.

For the township of Snow Shoe, west precinct at the house of Alonza A. Groe, in the village of Moshannon.

For the township of Spring, north precinct, at the township building erected near Mallorg's blacksmith shop.

For the township of Spring south precinct,

SPECIMEN BALLOT.

To vote a straight party ticket, mark a cross (X) in the square, in the first column, opposite the name of the party of your choice.

A cross mark in the square at the head of a group of Presidential electors, opposite the name of a party and its Presidential candidates, is a vote for the electors of that party, but for no other candidates.

A cross mark in the square opposite the name of any candidate indicates a vote for that candidate.

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Under the law of the Commonwealth for holding elections, the polls shall be opened at 7 o'clock A. M., and closed at 7 o'clock P. M.

Given under my hand and seal at my office in Bellefonte, this 22nd day of October, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and twelve, and in the one hundred and thirty-seventh year of the Independence of the United States of America.

A. B. LEE, (Seal)
Sheriff of Centre County.

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Will Elect Auditor General.

A. E. Sisson, the present auditor general, disputed the right to elect an auditor general at the coming election contending that under the recent amendments to the constitution and election laws, his term of office would not expire next May. The case was carried to the State Supreme Court, and a decree was issued providing for the election of an attorney general. Both the Democratic and Republican parties nominated a candidate for this office at their respective state conventions. The Democratic candidate is Robert E. Cresswell, of Cambria county.

The clothing of a little son of Edward Bryan, of Curtin, was set on fire by an older brother, and the child was so horribly burned that he died next day. The child was aged eighteen months. The little one was in the kitchen of the Bryan home, and it was during the temporary absence of the mother that the sad affair occurred.

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Notice is hereby given, that every person, excepting Justice of the Peace, who shall hold any office or appointment, of profit or trust under the Government of the United States or of this State, or of any city or incorporated district, whether a commissioned officer or otherwise a subordinate officer or agent who is or shall be employed under the Legislative, Executive or Judiciary department of this State, or of the United States, or of any city or Incorporated district, and also that every member of Congress and of the State Legislature, and of the select or common council of any city, or commissioners of any incorporated district is, by law, incapable of holding or exercising at the same time the office or appointment of Judge, Inspector or clerk of any election of this Commonwealth, and that no inspector, Judge or other officer of any such elections, shall be eligible to any office to be then voted for, except that of an election officer.

Under the law of the Commonwealth for holding elections, the polls shall be opened at 7 o'clock A. M., and closed at 7 o'clock P. M.

Given under my hand and seal at my office in Bellefonte, this 22nd day of October, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and twelve, and in the one hundred and thirty-seventh year of the Independence of the United States of America.

A. B. LEE, (Seal)
Sheriff of Centre County.

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS.
(Mark One)

Charles E. Patton,	Republican.
	Keystone.
	Washington.
James A. Gleason,	Democratic.
W. H. Watt,	Prohibition.
George Fox,	Socialist.

REPRESENTATIVE IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
(Mark One)

Cephas L. Gramley,	Republican.
	Washington.
R. M. Foster,	Democratic.
J. D. White,	Prohibition.
Frank C. Rittenhouse,	Socialist.

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS AT LARGE.
(Mark Four.)

John M. Morin,	Republican.
	Bull Moose.
	Roosevelt Progressive.
	Washington.
Frederick E. Lewis,	Republican.
	Bull Moose.
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Anderson H. Walters,	Republican.
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Arthur R. Rupley,	Republican.
	Bull Moose.
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George Benton Shaw,	Democratic.
Joseph Howley,	Democratic.
George R. McLean,	Democratic.
E. E. Greenawalt,	Democratic.
E. L. McKee,	Prohibition.
Howard J. Force,	Prohibition.
Henry S. Gill,	Prohibition.
Thomas H. Hamilton,	Prohibition.
Chas. W. Ervin,	Socialist.
William Parker,	Socialist.
E. S. Musser,	Socialist.
John W. Slayton,	Socialist.
William H. Thomas,	Industrialist.
Albin Garrett,	Keystone.
Charles A. Hawkins,	Keystone.
Howard R. Sheppard,	Keystone.
Daniel W. Simkins,	Keystone.

STATE TREASURER.
(Mark One)

Robert K. Young,	Republican.
	Bull Moose.
	Roosevelt Progressive.
	Washington.
William H. Berry,	Democratic.
	Keystone.
Chas. W. Humingdon,	Prohibition.
John J. Schwartz,	Socialist.

AUDITOR GENERAL.
(Mark One)

Archibald W. Powell,	Republican.
	Bull Moose.
	Roosevelt Progressive.
	Washington.
Robert E. Cresswell,	Democratic.
	Keystone.
B. Budd Cannon,	Prohibition.
Adrian H. Eldredge,	Socialist.

LIST OF NOMINATIONS.

The official list of nominations made by the several parties, and as their names will appear upon the ticket to be voted on the 5th day of November, 1912, at the different voting places in Centre county, as certified to respectively by the Secretary of the Commonwealth and the Commissioners of Centre county are given in the above form of ballot, which is similar to the official ballot.

a room at Spring Mills hotel at Spring Mills.
For the township of Haines, east precinct school house in the village of Woodward.
For the township of Haines, west precinct, at the hotel at Aaronsburg.
For the township of Halfmoon, in I. O. O. F. Hall in the village of Stormstown.
For the township of Harris, east precinct, at the building owned by Harry McClellan in the village of Linden Hall.
For the township of Harris, west precinct, at the school house in the village of Bellaire.
For the township of Howard, in the township public building.
For the township of Huston, in a building owned by J. C. Nason, in the village of Julian.
For the township of Liberty, east precinct, at the school house in Eagleville.
For the township of Liberty, west precinct, at the school house at Monument.
For the township of Marion, at the shop of Samuel Aley in the village of Jacksonville.
For the township of Miles, east precinct, at the dwelling house of William Tyson at Wolf's Store.
For the township of Miles, middle precinct, at Ike's wagonmaker shop of W. J. Weber in Rebersburg.
For the township of Miles, west precinct, at the store room of Elias Miller in Madisonburg.
For the township of Patton, in the shop of John Hoy at Waddle.
For the township of Penn, in a building formerly owned by Luther Gulsewhite, at Coburn.
For the township of Potter, north precinct, at the Old Fort hotel.
For the township of Potter, south precinct, at the hotel in the village of Potters Mills.
For the township of Potter, west precinct, at the store of George Mees, at Colyer.
For the township of Rush, north precinct, at the Township Poor House.
For the township of Rush, east precinct, at the school house in the village of Casanova.
For the township of Rush, south precinct, at the school house in the village of Powelton.
For the township of Rush, west precinct at the Township house near Osceola Mills, known as the Tobias Hall.
For the township of Snow Shoe, east precinct, at the school house in the village of Clarence.
For the township of Snow Shoe, west precinct at the house of Alonza A. Groe, in the village of Moshannon.
For the township of Spring, north precinct, at the township building erected near Mallory's blacksmith shop.
For the township of Spring, south precinct, at the public house of John C. Mauffnger, in Pleasant Gap.
For the township of Spring, west precinct, in the township building at Coleville.
For the township of Taylor, in the house erected for that purpose at Leonard Merryman's.
For the township of Union, in the township public building.
For the township of Walker, east precinct, in the hotel of Frank Emerick in the village of Nittany.
For the township of Walker, middle precinct in Grange Hall in the village of Habersburg.
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For the township of Worth, in the hall of the Knights of the Golden Eagle, in the village of Port Matilda.

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RALLY AT MILLHEIM.

Southside Democrats Will Rally 'Round the Wilson Banner Friday Evening.

The Southside Democrats will rally 'round the Wilson banner on Friday evening at Millheim, and it is urged that this rally be made a notable one. Millheim has a reputation for doing things well, and in this particular instance it intends doing its best and also solicits outside aid.

The speaker for the occasion will be Judge L. M. Southworth, of Mississippi, a noted campaigner, and one capable of doing credit to his section of country. Those who heard the Alabama congressman speak in the court house know what kind of orators they have in the south, and will wish to hear the Mississippi Judge.

In addition to the speaker named above, Hon. W. C. Heinle and James A. Gleason, candidate for congress in this district, and others will be on the platform.

Southside Democrats should let their democracy shine on Friday evening after sunset.

Marriage Licenses.

William S. Albright, Curtin
Sarah E. Martin, State College

Oliver Irvin, Julian
Esther Spotts, Julian

J. N. Stover, Bellefonte
Furl Aumon, Spring Mills

Ward M. Showers, Pleasant Gap
Lina Twitmeyer, Pleasant Gap

LOCALS.

Tuesday a week the question will be settled.

James P. Herring, of Altoona, was in town on Tuesday.

The Pine Stump Sunday-school held a rally on Saturday afternoon.

You will want to go to the Democratic rally in Millheim on Friday evening.

The report that D. L. Bartges sold his farm is not correct. He had a fine offer, but did not accept it.

George Jacobs, of Howard, formerly of near Boalsburg, is very feeble. He is some ninety years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Sankey, of Tuesday, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Goodhart in Centre Hall.

Fred and Diemer Neihart, of Pine Grove Mills, left for Dover, Minnesota, where they will engage in stock raising and farming.

Miss Anna Mitterling returned from Altoona where for several weeks she had been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Geary.

Dr. Foster, who holds a commission as medical inspector for the Centre Hall schools, performed his duties as such beginning of this week.

Rev. James S. Wilkes, the new pastor of the Milesburg, Snow Shoe and Moshannon Presbyterian churches, has moved to Milesburg with his family.

Mrs. Joseph Lutz, of Centre Hall; Miss Annie Lohr, of Boalsburg, and Mrs. Mary Smith, of Bellefonte, were in Lock Haven over Sunday, to visit their sister, Mrs. Ellen Pringle.

The ladies of the Reformed church at Pine Grove Mills gave a supper on Saturday evening, clearing $55 00 Miss Cora Corl secured a quilt given away under the rules of the society.

Amos Koch, Sr., of Rock View, is very ill. He is the father of Amos Koch, of Boalsburg, and is in his eighty-eighth year. He is being cared for at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Samuel Kreamer.

Howard Cummings, of Bellefonte called on the Reporter Wednesday morning. He is a representative of the Pennsylvania Chestnut Tree Blight Commission, and will look after the blight in Potter township. He is located at Potters Mills.

The woman's Civic Club, of Boalsburg, will hold a Hallowe'en masquerade social in the Boal Hall, on Thursday at 8 p. m., October 31st. Proceeds to be applied to the maintenance of the town lights. Admission 10 and 15 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Harner, of Berrien Springs, Michigan, are among friends at Tusseyville. Mrs. Harner is the daughter of Francis Fleisher, who went west many years ago. They are engaged in farming, and find it profitable.

Rev. R. R. Jones, and Elder Jacob Musser, of near Penns Cave, on Tuesday morning went to Lebanon to attend the Synod of the Reformed church. Before returning Rev. Jones will visit friends and relatives in Allentown and vicinity, and expects to reach home early the following week.

The family of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Colyer, who live with Mrs. Colyer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Brown, near Linden Hall, is sorely afflicted. Their youngest child died the latter part of last week, and two others—Helen and Grace, eight and six years old respectively, are ill of typhoid fever.

The State College Times makes this reference to the successor of J. A. Reesman: Thomas L. Smith, one of the best workmen in his line in this section of the state, has decided to embark in business for himself and will assume charge of an old established store in Centre Hall. Mr. Smith has been engaged in the hardware and tin trade for many years in State College and there is every reason to believe that he will make good in his new venture.

FLOWERS OF THE NIGHT.

They Are Usually Pure White With a Peculiar Glow.

As we all know, there are both day blooming and night blooming flowers. The former are generally decked in red, blue, yellow or purple and have lines, spots or markings on their petals which often act as guides to the nectaries which are visited by the bees and butterflies.

The night blooming flowers, on the other hand, invite the visits of moths or other night flying insects and therefore have recourse to something like the tasks of the fireflies and the glowworms. They are usually pure white and have such a peculiar texture that they seem to glow with internal light in the dim shades of evening.

At times you might almost fancy that they were stained by nature with some forerunner of luminous paint, so clearly do they reflect every visible ray of the faint twilight. They thus succeed in catching the eyes of the moths, which, of course, are modified especially for perceiving and receiving the slight stimulus of the dusk and gloaming.

But the nocturnal flowers have no lines or spots, because these last could never be perceived in the dim gloom of the evening. They make up for it, however, by being very heavily scented. Indeed, almost all the strong white flowers, which are such favorites with florists, such as jasmine, tuberose, gardenia, stephanotis, sereus and syringa, which belong to the night blossoming plants, are especially adapted to attract the senses of winged nocturnal insects.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

HELP THAT HELPS.

Lincoln's Response to His Brother's Request For a Loan.

Abraham Lincoln's good sense is witnessed by almost every act of his life. His sound views on indiscriminate charity and the best means of encouraging thrift and industry are shown by the following letter to one of his brothers:

"Dear Johnson.—Your request for $80 I do not think it best to comply with now. At the various times when I have helped you a little you have said to me, 'We can get along very well now,' but in a very short time I find you in the same difficulty again. Now, this can only happen by some defect in your conduct—what that defect is I think I know; you are not lazy, and still you are an idler. * * *

"You are now in need of some ready money, and what I propose is that you should go to work, tooth and nail, for somebody who will give you money for it * * * and then to secure you a fair reward for your labor I now promise you that for every dollar you will between this and the first of next May get for your labor I will then give you one other dollar. * * * You have always been kind to me and I do not mean to be unkind to you. On the contrary, if you will follow my advice you will find it worth more than eight times $80 to you. Affectionately your brother,

"A. LINCOLN."

—Youth's Companion.

Animal Thermometers.

Crickets have a tendency to chirp synchronously or in time with one another. It is claimed that they chirp more rapidly in warm than in cold weather. The increase has even been rated at four chirps a minute for each degree the temperature increases.

Certain animals appear to act as barometers. It is said that while frogs remain yellow nothing but fine weather may be expected, but that should their coats begin to assume a brown hue bad weather is approaching.

A spider seen spinning its web in the morning heralds a fine day. If seen in the evening then at least the whole of the night and the following morning will be fine. If it is raining and the owl screeches better weather will ensue.—Harper's.

A Slight Mistake.

She was a little woman, and she had entered a department store in a suburban town. She walked up to a big, important looking man near the door and said:

"I want to see some of your hangings."

"Sorry, ma'am," said the big fellow, with a smile, "but we are not going to have any today."

"None today? Why, what do you mean? Aren't you the floorwalker?"

"No, ma'am; I'm the sheriff, and I'm glad to say there's nobody to be hanged today."—Yonkers Statesman.

Tennyson Embarrassed.

Great crises affect people differently. With some the hair turns white, with others emotion expresses itself in inconsequent speech. Tennyson when he first met Frederick Robertson, whom he much admired and who he knew admired his poems, was so nervous that he could talk to the "much beloved priest" of nothing but beer.

Maternal Pride.

First Young Wife—The photographer said my baby was the prettiest baby he'd ever seen. Second Young Wife—That's strange! He said the same thing about mine. First Young Wife—Well, I suppose he saw your baby before he saw mine.

The Way to Win.

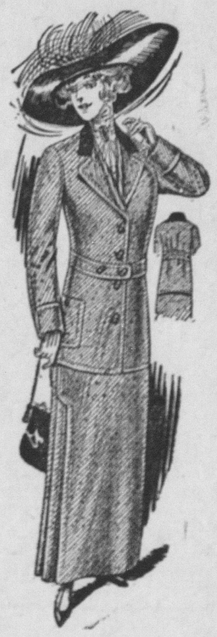
About the only way to get things coming your way is a long battle against their going the other way.—Atchison Globe.

To live long it is necessary to live slowly.—Cicero.

Winter will soon be here

Every man and woman who likes to be prepared will enjoy a visit to our store. A splendid showing of New Fall Suits, Overcoats, Ladies' Coats, Suits, and Shoes awaits your inspection. Our stock is practically complete, and we want you to come in and see this outlay of the most beautiful mercha ndise that we have ever brought together.

New Fall Coats and Suits for Ladies--the newest of the season's styles.



SHOES

Walk Over and Queen Quality

in all the new styles. We are the exclusive agents for these famous shoes.

MEN'S CLOTHING

Distinctive Fall Styles now being shown

D. J. Nieman Co.

MILLHEIM, PA.

The Home of Good Clothes | Style Store for Men & Women

DEATHS.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. John Swarm, of Baltimore, died in Williamsport, and the body was shipped to Millheim for burial, on Saturday. The child was aged about four years. The death occurred while Mr. and Mrs. Swarm were visiting the parents of the father of the child. Mrs. Swarm is the daughter of John Hartman, in Millheim, and it was from there that the funeral was held.

Alfred Jones, long connected with the business interests of Philipsburg, died at the age of eighty years on Friday morning at his home in Philipsburg. His wife who died in March was Miss Rebecca Bailey, of Stormstown. There survive these children, all of Philipsburg: Jennie, wife of Dr W. W. Andrews, Paul and Edward.

Spring Mills.

George Nicholas is quite ill.

Robert Kennelly moved to Burnham.

Ira Bartly is nursing a very sore hand.

Wm. Graden has been sick and is not improving any.

James Kennelly returned from a visit to Shamokin.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Myers spent Sunday at Millheim.

Every one is hustling to get their fall work away these nice days.

The concert and lecture, held in Grange hall last week was enjoyed and appreciated by a full house. Let there be more.

Reporter Register

A. N. Finkle, Spring Mills
W. F. Immel, Spring Mills
Jeff. W. Brown, Darlington Brown, Milroy
C. E. Gobeen, Rauchtown
A. B Lee, Bellefonte
Thomas Smith, State College
M. A. Sankey, Millheim
G. L. Goodhart, Centre Hall
James P. Herring, Altoona
Howard Cummings, Bellville

Sale Register.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26th, one o'clock, in Centre Hall, personal property of J. A. Reesman.

NOTICE TO THE TAX COLLECTORS AND ALL TAX PAYERS OF CENTRE COUNTY:

Please take notice and you are hereby notified that unless all State Taxes for the year 1912 are paid the Collector of your District and by him remitted to the County Treasurer, so that the same can be remitted by the Board of County Commissioners to the State Treasurer on or before the 11th day of November, next, that under Section 17 of the Act of General Assembly of June 1st, 1889, P. L. 426, the Auditor General will add a penalty of ten per centum of the amount due from each person.

WM. H. NOLL, JR.
D. A. GROVE
JACOB WOODRING,
County Commissioners.

If you have young children you have perhaps noticed that disorders of the stomach are their most common ailment. To correct this you will find Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets excellent. They are easy and pleasant to take, and mild and gentle in effect. For sale by all dealers. adv.

Wall Plaster

A limited quantity of wall plaster, first quality in every respect, and admitting of the addition of two parts sand, is offered for sale by

C. D. BARTHOLOMEW and S. W. SMITH,
Centre Hall

No matter what car you use, be sure of the best gasoline.

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76° — Special Motor

are best because they have no carbon deposits—the explosion is instantaneous, powerful, clean—the ignition is quick. No *"natural"* gasolines used in *Waverly*.

WAVERLY OIL WORKS CO.
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Read the Reporter.

Cool October Nights

Are made pleasant by Warm Bed Blankets

Just recently we laid in a supply of excellent blankets—some are cotton and others all wool. Come in and inspect the quality of these and be convinced of their "comfortableness" and wearing qualities. Moderately priced, too.

Many New Dress Goods

All shades of Poplin, pretty patterns in Percales and Ginghams, and other dress goods. Outing Flannel in large variety.

KREAMER & SON

Centre Hall, Pa.

The Only Way.

"No use to woo that girl. She has heart of marble."

"Then leave it in statu quo."

Unconscious Verity.

"Was the Indian scalping story of Tom's thrilling?"

"Thrilling? It was hair-raising!"

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c a bottle. Adv.

Every mother is firmly convinced that she is capable of picking a better husband for her daughter than she did for herself.

For SUMMER HEADACHES

Hicks' CAPUDINE is the best remedy—no matter what causes them—whether from the heat, sitting in draughts, feverish condition, etc. 10c., 25c and 50c per bottle at medicine stores. Adv.

Comparative Luxury.

"My father has a horse and buggy."

"Yes, but my brother was run over by an automobile."

Important to Mothers

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

In Use For Over 30 Years.

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Accounted For.

"I will not let my wife go to these fashionable bridge parties."

"I'm glad you take that stand. So you think it is immoral to gamble?"

"No, but she's such a wretched player."

Easy Road in Music.

"My boy Louie is indolent," said the musician, "but I must say he is smart."

"Is he going to follow in your footsteps?"

"No. I learned to play the clarinet and I've got to march at least eight miles every time there is a parade. Louie is learning the harp, so that they will have to let him sit down."

Tuberculosis Day Oct. 27.

Cordial approval and endorsement of Tuberculosis day which will be observed by the churches of the country on October 27th, is expressed by President Taft in a letter to Homer Folks of New York, president of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. From present indications, Tuberculosis day will be observed by almost every religious denomination in the United States and not less than 50,000 sermons on tuberculosis will be preached on October 27th, or in the weeks preceding or following that date.

HARD LUCK.

Dick—I told her that I loved her—that I was even willing to worship her at a distance.

Tom—What did she do?

Dick—Said she'd supply the distance.

A DOCTOR'S TRIALS.

He Sometimes Gets Sick Like Other People.

Even doing good to people is hard work if you have too much of it to do.

An overworked Ohio doctor tells his experience:

"About three years ago as the result of doing two men's work, attending a large practice and looking after the details of another business, my health broke down completely, and I was little better than a physical wreck.

"I suffered from indigestion and constipation, loss of weight and appetite, bloating and pain after meals, loss of memory and lack of nerve force for continued mental application.

"I became irritable, easily angered and despondent without cause. The heart's action became irregular and weak, with frequent attacks of palpitation during the first hour or two after retiring.

"Some Grape-Nuts and cut bananas came for my lunch one day and pleased me particularly with the result. I got more satisfaction from it than from anything I had eaten for months, and on further investigation and use, adopted Grape-Nuts for my morning and evening meals, served usually with cream and a sprinkle of salt or sugar.

"My improvement was rapid and permanent, in weight as well as in physical and mental endurance. In a word, I am filled with the joy of living again, and continue the daily use of Grape-Nuts for breakfast and often for the evening meal.

"The little pamphlet, 'The Road to Wellville,' found in pkgs., is invariably saved and handed to some needy patient along with the indicated remedy."

"There's a reason."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest. Adv.

LIVE STOCK

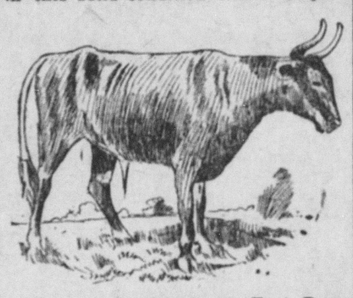
GROUND GRAIN IS FAVORED

Animals Seldom Masticate Food Thoroughly as Should Be When Fed in Natural State.

(By M. COVERDELL.)

Where stock eat the grain in its natural and unbroken state, it is very seldom masticated as thoroughly as it should be. Most animals are naturally gluttonous, and in their haste to consume grain they swallow much of it without crushing or grinding it.

This wields a detrimental effect on the stock that is twofold. The grain in this solid condition cannot impart



Type of Feeding Steer, Fast Passing Away to Give Place to the White-Faced Shorthorns.

proper nourishment to the animals and the digestive and assimilative organs will be overtaxed and impaired in their efforts to convert this coarse feed into substance that will build up the tissues of the body.

Aside from these two detriments we must consider that unground feed causes a waste by passing whole and practically unchanged through the animal; or, if the stock do eat an amount large enough from which sufficient nourishment can be extracted, it means about twice as much must be fed to be converted into bone and muscular tissue.

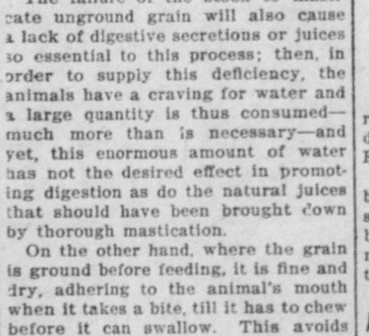
The failure of the stock to masticate unground grain will also cause a lack of digestive secretions or juices so essential to this process; then, in order to supply this deficiency, the animals have a craving for water and a large quantity is thus consumed—much more than is necessary—and yet, this enormous amount of water has not the desired effect in promoting digestion as do the natural juices that should have been brought down by thorough mastication.

On the other hand, where the grain is ground before feeding, it is fine and dry, adhering to the animal's mouth when it takes a bite, till it has to chew before it can swallow. This avoids the drawback above mentioned, and by the grain being well crushed it insures thorough digestion; later, its pulverized condition renders it immediately available for the assimilative organs to convert into nourishment—bone and muscle—without overtaxing any of the organs of these two systems and at the same time it will render less of this ground feed necessary to keep the animal in prime shape.

RINGING HOGS IS MADE EASY

Device Shown in Illustration and Described in Detail Has Proven Quite Advantageous.

This is the device I use in ringing or snouting hogs, and would not do without it. With a boy's help one man can ring as many hogs with this device as two men without it, and do it much easier. Make a strong hog crate and in one end nail a board shaped like A in the drawing. Bore four holes in crosspieces C and D to adjust the yoke to the size of hogs, writes A. G. Sigmund of Wetmore, Kan., in the Farmers' Mail and Breeze. Out of a white elm board or other stout wood, shape a lever like B and bolt to D at the bottom. A pin holds the lever in place at the top. The crate is left open at the other end.



Hog-Ringing Crate.

Have the boy run the hog into the crate and when his head is into the yoke bring over the lever just in front of his shoulders. He is there to stay until you turn him loose.

Shoeing the Colt.

The first shoeing of a colt is the most important, not only in the fit of the shoes, but also in seeing that the colt is not badly scared by the forge, the unusual handling and new sounds. Horses mean to shoe are generally the result of improper handling at early shoeings.

ARRANGING GATES FOR PENS

Various Entrances May Be Conveniently Fixed Without Much Trouble—Method Shown.

(By J. U. GOODWIN.)

Entrances to lanes, sheds, barn buildings and all other places where two or more entrances stand side by side, may be conveniently arranged with little trouble. As shown in the illustration, the two gates enclose three entrances.

To open the center entrance the gates are separated—one pushed to the right and one to the left—which makes the opening nine feet wide.

To open the entrance to the right-hand the gates are pushed to the right.

The entrance to each of the side pens is only five feet, the rest of the entrance being planked up.

This arrangement is particularly convenient for buildings so arranged that the center or driveway is to be open, and the sheds on each side are wanted with doorways to admit stock, etc.

In the latter case the doors may be made solid, so as to exclude rain, snow, and cold winds.

Fig. 1, A, are pieces set in between the battens of the gates and extending six inches. These extensions, one being on each gate, enter the open space on the opposite gate, thus holding the gates firm in place.

D, in Fig. 2, shows the method of latching the gates together.

This latch is fastened between the battens of the gates and catches automatically when the gates are closed.

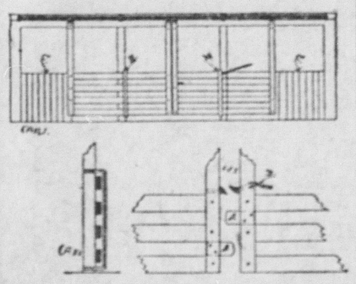
To uncatch, press down on the catch at D.

In Fig. 2, C is the part planked up. B B shows the position of notched pieces, a side view of which is shown in Fig. 3.

The notches in this piece are a little larger than the slats of the gates.

These notches rest over the gate slats and are fastened to the post dividing the pens.

These notched pieces are strengthened and held in place by an iron



Good Gate Arrangement.

rod three-quarters of an inch in diameter and arranged as shown in Fig. 3.

The hangers for the rollers should be fastened to the wall perfectly level, so that the slats of the gates will pass backward and forward through the notches that hold the gate in position.

ALFALFA IN THE HOG RATION

Nothing of More Importance Than Feeding at Least Cost—Excellent for All Live Stock.

While the hog is a debt payer, it is necessary for the breeder, farmer or feeder to manage so as to make the greatest amount of money at the least cost in the quickest time, says the American Swineherd. To do this there is nothing of more importance than feeding alfalfa. The Illinois Farmer's institute states that alfalfa is the most important single product of the soil, a product that has been neglected to the detriment of every community.

Alfalfa as a storage plant for general use has no equal. It is easily grown, it is hardy under trying circumstances, and while it is an excellent food for all kinds of stock, and especially the hog, it at the same time through natural process improves the soil by drawing from the atmosphere nitrogen. Alfalfa is a gold mine which can be worked most successfully by the use of swine feeding.

LIVE STOCK NOTES

Be careful about feeding the horse new oats at first.

The sow should be fed but little immediately after farrowing.

Raise hogs, but remember you must raise forage crops for them.

The most practical time for weaning a colt is when about five months old.

Sweet corn fed to the dairy stock or the growing pigs in the green stage, is profitable.

The only remedy for the cattle shortage is for the country to go back to cattle breeding.

The box stall is a better place for horses that require rest on account of lameness than a grass field.

The cheapest method of producing meat of any sort in almost every case is by keeping the animals on pasture.

The man who has a good bunch of cows or stock cattle properly located these days has no cause to worry.

To avoid worrying the colt, tie within sight of dam and give some grain. Be sure that the colt has plenty of exercise.

Plans are essential to success in feeding stock of all kinds. Mix some brains with your feed and get results.

Provide warm quarters for the litter of fall pigs. Don't let the youngsters get a backset. Keep them growing.

PIRATE PITCHER IS WELL THOUGHT OF

Marty O'Toole, Pittsburg's Star Twirler.

Joe Tinker, captain of the Chicago Cubs, is quoted as saying of Marty O'Toole, the high-priced pitcher of the Pittsburg Pirates: "O'Toole is the best pitcher I have seen in years. He will certainly make good. I believe that free swingers, like Schulte, Mitchell and others of that class, will have unlimited trouble in making base hits off his delivery. The only man who looks to me to have a chance to hit him safely is the one who chokes his bat and chops at the ball. Marty's shoots have such a sharp break that the man who starts a free swing is likely to find his bat going inches under or over the ball as it crosses the plate. O'Toole throws his spitball with the same motion he uses for his straight pitch, and there is no way of telling what he is handing you. He makes the bluff of spitting on the ball every time, and this also fools the batter."

Gossip Among Sports

Evidently Cornell is not much better prepared for shocks than last year.

Harry McCormick batted around .350 as a pinch hitter for the Giants this year.

Pitcher Hendrix of the Pirates is one of the best batting pitchers in the major leagues.

Demaree, a recruit, led the Giants in winning the game which clinched the championship.

Klawitter, former Giant pitcher drafted by Detroit, wants to quit pitching and be a shortstop.

Aside from being an automobile racer, what would be your favorite method of departing this life?

Ted Meredith, the Olympic champion runner, may play football with the Pennsylvania squad this year.

"Hurry-Up" Yost is kicking over the lack of experienced men on the Michigan football squad this year.

The playing of Halfback Philbin of Yale resembles the work of his older brother, Steve Philbin, the old Eli wonder.

Times were hard for the minor leaguers drafted this fall. A large number of them were turned back in short order.

Too many Beau Brummels and not enough rough and readys on the squad is said to be the trouble with the Yale football team.

At first glance the baseball fan looks more rabid than the football rooter, but closer examination reveals this is a mistake.

Fans are strange beings. They would rather sit in a wood stand to see a good team than in chairs of gold to see losers.

Hugh Jennings must be peeved because he didn't land Doc Johnston when he had a chance to get the first baseman for $2,500.

Playground Athletics Popular.

Public school children throughout this country and Canada are enthusiastic over playground athletics. In Toronto last July 1,125 children took part in sports there. Five tests for strength, speed and skill, comprising the shot put, chinning the bar, running broad, standing broad and high jumps are taken every evening. The boy excelling in any of the events at his weight will be given a certificate. A big festival will be held at Toronto, September 21.

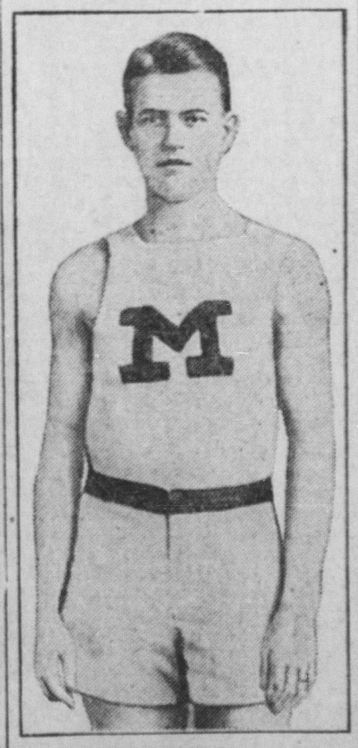
Travers Wins Many Golf Titles.

Jerome Dunston Travers, of Upper Montclair, N. J., is for the third time amateur golf champion of the United States. He has also four times been New York champion, New Jersey title holder four times, and Long Island and New York interscholastic champion once each.

FAMOUS ATHLETE TO RETIRE

Ralph Craig, Wonderful Runner, Who Captured Sprints at Stockholm, Quits the Game.

Athletics is to lose one of its brightest stars. Ralp Craig, the fleet-footed American boy who carried the stars and stripes to victory in the Olympic games at Stockholm, Sweden, will not be seen on the cinder path any more. Craig's folks are opposed to the young man following an athletic career and did not want him to contest at Stockholm. But patriotic pride impelled the great runner to go along with the other Americans and it was well for this country that he did. He won glory enough at the Olympic games to last a lifetime. Craig ran two grand races—the 100 and 200 meter events—



Ralph Craig.

and easily beat out the fastest sprinters in the world. Craig is a member of the Detroit Y. M. C. A, where his wonderful ability as a runner first attracted the attention of the athletic world.

Baseball Ambassador.

Harry Davis, ex-manager of the Naps, is planning to become American baseball ambassador at large to the world. He is now in correspondence with baseball men commissioned to sign baseball coaches for foreign countries. Davis plans to teach the game in Japan, the new republic of China, England, France, to the German army, in Hawaii, and Australia.

Bescher Is Tricky.

In a recent game, when it was raining, Bob Bescher wanted to get out of the wet, so he pestered the umpire until he was chased out of the game. The ump didn't catch on the trick until it was too late, and then he couldn't call Bescher back.

Diplomacy in Small Things.

Little Eloise Cave, aged seven years, was visiting her grandmother in Madison, Va., and was sent to carry a saucer of ice cream to a neighbor. By the exercise of infinite care she conveyed her burden safely to the house and gave it into the hands of the lady for whom it was intended. The lady, however, was less careful than Eloise had been, and dropped the saucer and broke it.

"You needn't mind about that," said the little diplomt, without an instant's hesitation. "I don't think grandma has a cup to match the saucer. If she has I will go right home and break it myself."—Popular Magazine.

At a Distance.

"She certainly tries to obey her mother's injunction not to let the young men get too near."

"Why, I saw a young man with his arm around her last night."

"I know, but she had a faraway look in her eyes."

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POLLY VICTIM OF DECEPTION

Bird Realized Period Between Its Temporary Oblivions Had Been Materially Cut Short.

The Goodleys have a sailor son, who on one occasion brought home a parrot for the amusement and enlightenment of the family. They kept it for the sake of the donor—on no other account would it have been given house room. Of course, it was a perfectly respectable bird—occasionally; but on Sunday evenings, when young Mr. Saintly paid his regular visit, it was deemed advisable to cover Polly with a cloth.

Recently, however, Mr. S. took advantage of a half-holiday accruing to him, and made an extra call on the Wednesday. As he was ushered in Miss Mary Goodley dexterously threw the cloth over Polly's cage. Greetings over, there ensued the usual awkward pause, which was broken by a squawk from the covered cage.

"Well, I'll be everlasting blessed," said Polly. "This has been a thundershort week!"

Classy List of Pies.

The gentleman with a concave front and a large watch chain alighted from the train at a junction in a western state, and rapidly made his way to the dining-room of the only hotel in the place.

"What kind of pies have you here?" he asked eagerly of the kittenish old lady who stood at his elbow.

"All four kinds," she replied, with an air of disdain.

"What are they?"

"Open-faced, cross-bar, kivered up, and the kind mother used to make," was the catalogue which she gave.—Popular Magazine.

Knew a Poet's Troubles.

"Had a queer experience recently," said the Billville poet. "Robber held me up on the highway. Didn't have a cent in my pocket—only a poem which I was takin' to the editor."

"Didn't take the poem, did he?"

"No. Read three lines of it, handed it back to me and said: 'Friend, here's $2. You need it worse than I do.'"—Atlanta Constitution.

For the Sake of Variety.

Customer—This, I suppose is a folding bed.

Merchant—No, sir; we call this an unfolding bed. I'll show you. (Unfolds it).

A high priced box at the opera seems less expensive to some people than the cheapest church pew.

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PREFERS DEATH TO MARRIAGE

Reading Girl, in Teens, Would Drown Rather Than Wed

ASKS POLICE PROTECTION

Insists She Does Not Love and Should Not Be Compelled to Marry Aged Widower—Her Parents Consent.

Reading.—"I'll drown myself rather than marry that man," declared 17-year-old Mary Froman, in telling her story to Chief of Police Green. Continuing she said: "My parents want me to marry a widower with three children. He has a good job and owns property, but I don't want him. He is 37 years of age, and his wife died a year ago. He is entirely too old for me. He says that he wants a young wife so that he can have control over her. My parents insist that I marry him, but I'd rather drown myself than marry him." Mary, who is small of stature, told Chief Green that she had a bitter quarrel with her parents, who told her to leave home. She came to the police station for protection, stating that if her parents refuse to give up her clothing. She works at a hosiery mill and makes good wages. Chief Green investigated her story and declares he found it to be correct. Temporary quarters were obtained for her at the Young Women's Christian Association. Later the girl's father called at the police station and demanded to know where his daughter was, but he was refused the information. The Humane Society will take up the matter with the courts and ask that a guardian be appointed for her. The man who wants to marry the girl owns two houses and makes $3.50 a day in a rolling mill.

Suffers From Fish Bite.

Allentown.—Colonel Harry C. Trexler, Quartermaster General of the state and president of the trustees of the Rittersville Asylum is nursing a sore finger, the result of being bitten by a trout. In the pond at Colonel Trexler's summer home at the Cedarville fishing grounds are about two dozen fish of large size which he has made family pets, and they have become so tame that they will eat grasshoppers and worms out of his hand. A few days ago the Colonel was teasing a big trout by holding a juicy worm just over the water. As he lowered the worm the fish, with the rapidity of lightning, jumped a foot out of the water, seizing not only the worm but Colonel Trexler's hand as well, giving him a painful nip with its sharklike teeth. He didn't feel like taking chances on blood poisoning and had the wound cauterized.

Children Heirs in Lifetime.

Norristown.—Not because he loves them less or has no affection for them did William Hill, of Glenside, cut off his children without any personal or real estate, which he bequeathed to his wife—their stepmother—according to his statement in his will admitted to probate here. In explanation he explains in the will: "I have treated them generously in the past and because at my death they will become owners of the mills at Lehigh, Mutter and Mascher streets, Philadelphia, the title to which stands in the name of their mother, my first wife. This property represents the result of my labors and savings extended over many years." His present wife, Emma A. Kaler Hill, is made executrix of the will. Among the property that she inherits is the homestead property at Glenside and the Florence Knitting Mills.

Autoist to Pay for Killing.

Williamsport.—Mrs. Margaret A. Nice, was granted $1,610.50 damages from Clinton B. Coleman, prominent clubman, for the death of her son Robert. Nice died some months ago from injuries received in a collision between Coleman's automobile and a motorcycle ridden by himself.

Killed as He Inspects Switch.

Huntingdon.—B. D. Dunn, a widower, aged 25 years, was instantly killed as he stooped over to inspect a switch, just east of the "GC" tower on the Pennsylvania Railroad here. A freight passing on an adjoining track drowned the roar of the onrushing Pennsylvania special train.

Greek Exodus Hits Waiters.

Darby.—The Balkan war has caused a waiter famine in Darby. Imbued by the spirit of patriotism, all the Greeks employed in the several restaurants, trolley cafes, fruit stands and sugar bowl candy shops adjacent to Ninth and Main streets have returned to their native country.

Shot in White Slave Row.

Scranton.—Angel Arena, a hotel proprietor, was shot twice, and fatally wounded in the Klondike Hotel barroom by John Myers of this city, formerly of Erie. Myers is under bail to answer the charge of "white slavery." According to the report made by the police from stories of eyewitnesses, Arena and Myers got into a quarrel about the "white slavery" case, and Arena slapped Myers' face. Myers shot twice with a revolver at close range, and Arena fell, with two wounds near the heart.

BUTCHER A DIPLOMAT

TURNS HIS KNOWLEDGE OF FAIR SEX TO ACCOUNT.

Not Averse to Stretching Conscience by Adding or Deducting a Few Pounds When They Want to Know Their Weight.

"See that scale out there," said the butcher, laying down his knife and jerking his finger toward a large scale that was standing outside the butcher shop. "Well, I suppose you have the same idea that most of my other customers have. They think I keep it there to weigh meat on. I don't. I will let you into a secret and tell you why I placed the scale there. It is to weigh my customers on.

"You would be surprised if you knew how many of my customers desired to be weighed. Most of them are women and they always bother me at my busiest time, which is Saturday. They think when they come in here and buy a pound of steak or chops that in return for their custom I ought to lay down my work and go outside and weigh them.

"Every one knows how sensitive a woman is about her weight. If you tell a woman that she is gaining weight you might as well tell her not come around and deal with you any more. They worry a great deal about it. I find that it pays to be dicreet when you are weighing a woman. You can judge from their conversation how much they think they weigh, and never shock a woman by telling her she weighs more.

"Don't pay any attention to the scale if it shows that the correct weight is five or ten pounds more than the amount the woman said she weighed. Use your head and you will be able to retain customers. Other butchers have lost customers because they made the mistake of telling correct weights.

"Most women go to the country in the summer to gain weight. The best plan when they come home is to tell them they gained a few pounds. The first thing a woman does when she comes home is to come around here and have me weigh her. To make her feel happy and to satisfy her that her trip to the country has been beneficial to her health I add a few pounds to the amount the scale registers. There are many women who do gain weight while they are in the country. To these I always tell the correct weight because, if one of them thought she was getting too heavy, she might cut down her purchase of meat.

"In the winter I pursue a different course. Most women like to think they are getting slimmer in the cool months. When they come around to be weighed I slice off a few pounds from the figures on the scale and send them away feeling fine. How do I remember their weight? No, I do not keep a record of it. I don't have to. The women do it for me. A woman's weight is one of her chief sources of worriment and she keeps her weight in mind and daily informs me of it. With a little quizzing just before they step on the scales I am able to find out just what they think they weigh, and the rest is easy.

"The scale also helps me to improve my business. Now and then a new customer drops in. She may be new in the neighborhood or she may have been dealing with some other butcher. If I decide that the new customer is a critical person I tell her my meat is the best in the vicinity. Then I request her to step out to the scale and find out her weight. I take a few pounds off her correct weight. When she has been patronizing me for a month I weigh her again. This time I add a few pounds and she goes home with the impression that she is growing heavier without getting stout. She gives my meat the credit. That is the secret of how I manage to keep my customers dealing with me so long."

No Honor at All.

A section foreman on one of the great lines came under the notice of the president of the road, who had been observant of the manner in which the track had been maintained. Having graduated from an humble position, the officer knew what it meant to get a pat on the back.

He called the section boss to the side of his car, gave him a drink of whisky without any claws in it and a perfecto cigar, says the Chicago Post. Then he told him how he appreciated his work and adjured to keep it up.

The district dignitary stowed away the perfecto to smoke of a Sunday, and after he had consumed it took a spin on the handcar to put it all over the foreman of the adjoining section.

The latter listened to the narrative with poorly assumed control.

"Was the see-gar lighted when he gave it to ye?" he inquired.

"Not on yer life—why so?"

"Well, because he sint for me three months ago—alongside his car—and thrun wan at me, but it was burnin'."

Foresight.

When it had been raining a day or two, Noah was seen to take a sample of the water in a bottle.

"How now?" the scoffing neighbors cried, around the ark.

"It would be a joke," answered Noah, "if the ark were not to contain pairs of germs of all the ills to which posterity will sooner or later find itself heir."

But such distinguished foresight was more than the neighbors could fathom, and they exploded forthwith in gales of derisive merriment.—Puck.

COMMERCIAL

Weekly Review of Trade and Market Reports.

Bradstreet's says:

"Trade movements continue to run at a fairly rapid pace. Jobbers and manufacturers in most parts of the country are enjoying more business than has been known in years, various lines report unprecedented sales and shipping departments in the principal centres are being rushed in order to cope with insistent demands for deliveries.

"Reorders from retail dealers are of noteworthy proportions, mail orders in a host of lines attract attention and road salesmen evidently do not have to do much soliciting in order to get business.

"Business failures in the United States for the week were 273, against 268 last week, 212 in the like week of 1911, 223 in 1910, 220 in 1909 and 244 in 1908."

Wholesale Markets

NEW YORK.—Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red, 105 elevator and 104½ nominal, f o b afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 100 f o b afloat.

Corn—Spot easy; export, 54¼c f o b afloat, December to March.

Oats—Spot steady; No. 4, 38c.

Butter steady. Creamery, thirds, 24½@25½c; factory, June make, firsts, 24@24½c; current make, firsts, 24; seconds, 23@23½; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 22½@23; No. 3, 19@21½.

Cheese steady; Daisies, best, 17¾c.

Eggs easy. Fresh gathered, firsts, 24½a27c.

Live Poultry; Western chickens, 12½@13½c; fowls, 12½@14; turkeys, 16.

Dressed poultry; fresh killed Western chickens, 12@18c; fowls, 13@17; turkeys, 16@17.

PHILADELPHIA.—Wheat firm and ½c higher; No. 2 red winter, in export elevators, 96@96½c. Corn weak and 4c lower; No. 2 yellow, for local trade, 75@76c. Eggs 30c per case lower; Pennsylvania and other nearby firsts, free cases, $8.70 per case; do, current receipts, free cases, $7.80@8.40 per case; Western firsts, free cases, $8.70 per case; do., current receipts, free cases, $7.80@8.40 per case.

BALTIMORE.—Wheat — December No. 2 red, 105¼c nominal; spot No. 2 red, 101¾; No. 2 red Western, 103¾; October No. 2 red, 101¾; November No. 2 red, 103¼ nominal; January No. 2 red, 107¼ nominal.

Corn—Spot, 73c nominal; year, 56¼; January, 55½.

Oats—No. 2 white, 40½c; standard white, 38@38¼; No. 3 white, 36½@37; No. 4 white, 34¼@34½.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, $21; No. 2 do, $19@20; No. 3 do, $15@17; choice light, clover mixed, $17.50@18; No. 1 clover mixed, $16.50@17; No. 2 do, $14@16; No. 1 clover, $13.50@14; No 2 do, $11@13.

Straw—No. 1 straight rye straw, $17@17.50; No. 2 do, $16@16.50; No. 2 tangled rye, $11; No. 2 do, $9@10; No. 1 wheat do, $7.50; No. 2 do, $6.50@7; No. 1 oat do, $9@10; No. 2 do, do, $8@8.50.

Butter—Creamery, fancy, 21@32; creamery, choice, 29@30; creamery, good, 27@28; creamery, prints, 31@33; creamery, blocks, 30@32; ladles, 21@23; Maryland and Pennsylvania rolls, 21@22.

Cheese—Jobbing lots, per lb, 19¼@20c.

Eggs—Maryland, Pennsylvania and nearby firsts, 28c; Western firsts, 28; West Virginia firsts, 27@28; Southern firsts, 26@27; Recrated and rehandled eggs ½ to 1c higher.

Live Poultry—Chickens, old hens, heavy, per lb, 14c; do, small to medium, 12; old roosters, 10; young, large, 14; do, small, 14. Ducks—White Pekings, 14c; muscovy, 13@14; puddle, 13.

Live Stock

CHICAGO.—Cattle.—Beeves, $5.65@11; Texas steers, $4.50@6; Western steers, $5.80@8.90; stockers and feeders, $4.40@7.80; cows and heifers, $2.90@8.10; calves, $7.50@10.30.

Hogs—Light, $8.60@9.30; mixed, $8.65@9.35; heavy, $8.50@9.35; rough, $8.50@8.70; pigs, $4.75@7.75; bulk of sales, $8.90@9.20.

Sheep—Native sheep, $3.25@4.35; Western, $3.40@4.35; yearlings, $4.25@5.25; lambs, native, $4.50@6.85; western, $4.75@6.50.

PITTSBURG, PA.—Cattle steady; supply light. Choice, $9@9.25; prime, $8.25@8.85.

Sheep steady; supply light. Prime wethers, $4.25@4.40; culls and commons, $2@2.50; lambs, $4@7; veal calves, $10.50@11.

Hogs—Prime heavies, $9.45@9.50; mediums, $9.35@9.40; heavy Yorkers, $9.35@9.40; light Yorkers, $8.60@9; pigs, $7.50@8; roughs, $8@8.50.

KANSAS CITY.—Western steers, $5.20@9; steady. Dressed beef and export steers, $8.50@10.90; stockers and feeders, $4.25@7.50; Southern steers, $4.25@6; Southern cows, $3.25@7.50; Southern steers, $4.25@6; Southern cows, $3.25@5; native cows, $3.25@6.75; native heifers, $5@7.50; bulls, $3.50@5.50; calves, $5@9.50.

HIS MIND UP IN THE CLOUDS

Professor Imagined Appeal Was From Fido, and the Situation Became Embarrassing.

A great lover of animals, Professor Dryasdust was much given to having his pet dog sitting beside him at meal times eating tidbits from his own little plate.

The other evening he was at a dinner party, and his partner was a very great lady, who was proud of her title.

But the professor paid absolutely no attention to her. His mind had switched off on to some abstruse point and he was lost to the world over the problem.

The duchess did not approve of this, and presently, to attract his attention, she pulled him gently by the sleeve.

Then the professor woke up. Grabbing a half-picked chicken bone from his plate, he thrust it under her startled nose.

"Don't bother just now, Fido!" he said curtly. "Here, take this and go and eat it on the mat, like a good doggie!"

ITCHING, BURNING ECZEMA

317 S. Wolfe St., Baltimore, Md.—"My trouble was caused by a severe sprained ankle; the bruised blood not having been drawn off caused a skin affection which the doctors pronounced eczema. It first started with an itching and burning, with very dry skin. Constant scratching, especially during the night finally broke the skin, and during the day the watery fluid that came from it would dry and peel off like fish scales. My stocking would stick to my ankle as if it were glued. I also had it on my fingers.

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Steamboat Memories.

London Opinion, commenting on the recent celebration of the centenary of the steamboat, remarks that it is interesting to note that the British admiralty of that period rejected the invention with the declaration that "a paddle wheel steamboat could be of no use in navigation," and that a Dr. Lardner, a pundit of that day, who proved "that no steam vessel could ever cross the Atlantic, lived long enough to bolt to America in a steamer along with another man's wife!"

Serious Lack.

An old Englishwoman, who was extremely stout, was making vain efforts to enter the rear door of an omnibus. The driver leaned over good-naturedly, and cried:

"Try sideways, mother, try sideways!"

The old woman looked up breathlessly, and replied:

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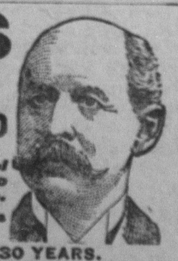

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1912

LOCALS.

Prof. and Mrs. C. F. Shaw were in Centre Hall from Saturday until Monday.

The Reporter readers will get another issue of this paper this month, making five for October.

Beginning of this week Clayton Homan went to Altoona and Martinsburg. He made the trip on a motorcycle.

Alexander W. Kennedy, of Sandy Ridge, has been appointed annual assessor of Rush township, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Wm. H. Twigg.

Mrs. C. H. Meyer, of Reedsville, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCormick as far south as Baltimore, where she is receiving treatment for her eyes.

Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Glenn and children, of Huntsdale, arrived in Centre Hall last week. Rev. Glenn is on his vacation, and is spending the time in various parts of Centre county.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollingsworth and Mrs. Mitchel, of Mill Hall, and Albert Miller, of Lewistown, were in Centre Hall on Sunday to be with their brother, Dick Miller, who is seriously ill here.

Mrs. Lewis Mason, of Grunnell, Iowa, and Mrs. John Hess, of Pine Grove Mills, are visiting at the home of their brother, Hon. Leonard Rhone, in Centre Hall. They will remain for several weeks.

The Lock Haven aviation exhibition was witnessed by Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Reish, Miss Nina Slick, Mr. and Mrs. James Fetterolf, and Bruce Arney in addition to those mentioned in the last issue of the Reporter.

Next Wednesday Miss Jennie Etters, daughter of Superintendent D. O. Etters, of State College, and H. H. Davis, of Wilkes Barre, will be united in marriage. The ceremony will be at six o'clock in the evening.

The Lewistown district is having a siege of typhoid fever, scarlet fever, and diphtheria. Several schools have been closed. Yeagertown, last week, had nine cases of typhoid fever, and one death had occurred. Several deaths also occurred from diphtheria.

Rev. F. W. Barry, on Monday, went to Pittsburg to look after some real estate belonging to the Barry family. He will return to Bellefonte on Thursday, where he is scheduled to perform a marriage ceremony, and on the following day he will come home.

The Spring Mills hotel has been greatly improved since the present Landlord, Moses Stover, is in charge, and just last week a New York firm installed an acetylene lighting plant that is giving entire satisfaction. All portions of the hostelry can now be lighted by simply a turn of the button.

Robert Gibson Larimer, formerly of Bellefonte, was arrested in Boston, Mass., charges of forgery and embezzling forty thousand dollars, as preferred by the police of Winnipeg, Manitoba, where he had been in the automobile business for six months prior to his disappearance about two months ago.

Mr. Rudy, of Harrisburg, an artist who devotes the whole of his time to frescoing churches, met the repair committee of the local Lutheran church on Monday evening, and presented sketches of work suited for the Lutheran church at Centre Hall. Mr. Rudy is now frescoing the Lutheran church in Boalsburg.

Sheriff A. B. Lee was a caller at this office on Monday on his return from a business trip down Penns Valley. The sheriff related that a College township constable caught a Fox and landed him in the county jail, but after being there a day or two he was released and now has the freedom of the world. Fox was employed on the sewage plant at State College, got filled with booze and became too noisy.

A Pine Grove Mills correspondent makes this mention: Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Henderson, accompanied by the former's father, J. P. Henderson, and mother, are motoring in their Maxwell car to Gettysburg and Antietam. The elder Henderson participated in the battle of Antietam, having been a member of the One Hundred and Twenty-fifth P. V. I., which engaged in the conflict at the Dunker church.

Thomas L. Smith, of State College, was in Centre Hall on Monday and made final arrangements to take over the business conducted for more than forty years by J. A. Reesman, and the latter part of this week will come here and take personal charge of it, and at that time will be ready to do all kinds of work in his line. Mr. Smith is a practical tinner, and is acquainted with every detail of the tinning business.

This personal is taken from the Watchman: G. W. Potter, one of Potter township's most progressive farmers, with his son Boyd, were Bellefonte visitors on Tuesday. Mr. Potter feels highly elated over his late crops. Off of a farm from which a harvest of but a little over one hundred bushels of wheat were gathered in 1911, he harvested almost six hundred bushels in 1912, with other crops in proportion.

Harris Township.

Mr. and Mrs. George Keller, of State College, spent Sunday at Boalsburg.

Mrs. Jerry Stover, of Farmers Mills, is visiting at the Reformed parsonage.

George Meyer and family, of State College, spent Sunday afternoon at the Blue spring.

Rev. S. C. Stover and elder J. A. Decker are attending Synod at Lebanon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Mothersbaugh attended the funeral of Mrs. Camp, at Lewistown on Monday.

Ex. Sheriff Cyrus Brungart and wife, of Centre Hall, spent Sunday afternoon at Boalsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Houtz, Martha and Myrtle Houtz, and Mrs. E. E. Brown, spent a few days with relatives at Kylertown.

Miss Annie Lohr visited from Saturday until Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Ella Springle and family, at Lock Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Riley are spending this week with relatives, at Petersburg, Altoona, and other parts of Blair county.

Dr. D. F. Bowersox and daughter, Mrs. Sarah Weaver, of Wolf's Chapel, spent a day with their uncle Henry Frederick.

Mrs. Orin Grove, of Red Hill, who is visiting at her former home at Cedar Creek, attended service in the Reformed church on Sunday.

Guy Wieland and some of his classmates from State College were to Ithaca, New York, to witness the ball game between State College and Cornell.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Kuhn spent Sunday afternoon with the latter's sister, Mrs. Foster Sharer, who met with a very serious accident on Saturday evening.

Calvin Riley, of near Petersburg, had the misfortune of falling from a foot log, which resulted in the dislocation of one of his shoulders. The accident occurred on Friday.

Andrew Gettig, of Braddock, made a hasty trip to Boalsburg on Monday. He left two of his children, Lawrence and Sarah Katharine, to spend a few weeks with relatives at Boalsburg.

At a baptismal service held in the Reformed church on Sunday the following children were baptized: Agnes Louvan Lucas, Jane Irene Ross, Frederick Bohn, William Linn Mothersbaugh, William Albert Stickel.

Karl Daniel, a child of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Colyer, aged one year and five days, was laid to rest in the cemetery at Boalsburg on Tuesday forenoon; service was held in the Reformed church, conducted by Rev. S. C. Stover.

The women of the civic club are requested to meet at the home of Mrs. Emma Stuart, this Thursday evening, for the purpose of making some arrangements for the Halloe'en masquerade social, to be held in Boal's hall on Thursday evening, October 31st.

Birthday parties last week: On Friday evening at the H. S. Harro home, in honor of their son Leroy who was six years old. On Saturday afternoon Mrs. John Gingerich entertained the little folks who met at their home to celebrate the birthday of their daughter Sarah who was seven years old.

Mrs. Jessie Sharp and two little girls departed Tuesday of last week for her home at Steamboat, Colorado. She was called to her former home at Shingletown in March on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Hoover, remaining there since her death which occurred the latter part of June.

James Searson, one of the oldest citizens in this neighborhood, living about two miles east of Boalsburg, who was stricken with paralysis more than a year ago, spent a day in Boalsburg where he was the guest of Mrs. E. E. Brown. This was only the second time that he was away from his home since he suffered the stroke. His son's wife, Mrs. George Searson, accompanied him.

We are pleased to mention that through the kindness and generosity of T. D. Boal, a band named "The Theodore Davis Boal Band" was organized in Boalsburg on Thursday evening. The meeting was held in the Boal hall. The officers elected were: President, Edward Riley; vice president, George E. Meyer; secretary, Howard Bricker; treasurer, J. M. Wieland; instructors, J. M. Wieland and J. H. Jacobs. Mr. Boal purchased the instruments, seventeen pieces.

Linden Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Williams, of Juniata, were guests at the Ross home over Sunday.

Max Hess, a jew peddler, was taken sick suddenly on Monday at the James I. Ross home.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtin Musser stopped off here on their way home from a vacation spent in Reading and Harrisburg, to spend a few days with Mr. Musser's sister, Mrs. J. H. Ross. They left for their Altoona home on Friday.

Mrs. Charles Weaver and son, Boyd, spent a few days last week with the former's son, Clarence Weaver, at Sandy Ridge. On her return she brought with her little Mildred Weaver, who will spend a few weeks with her grandparents.

Stylish Headwear.

The headwear, for the young, middle-aged and the older ladies, found at our millinery store is stylish. Every pattern is selected from the newest stocks in the largest wholesale houses in Philadelphia. There are no last season's hold-overs—every piece new, stylish, up-to-date. Our prices are as low as the lowest. You will not find fault with the price when you once see the goods. Give us a call; no trouble to show goods. Buy if you like, but come to see us.

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Here is a woman who speaks from personal knowledge and long experience, viz., Mrs. P. H. Brogan, of Wilson, Pa., who says, "I know from experience that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is far superior to any other. For croup there is nothing that excels it." For sale by all dealers. adv.

The election proclamation issued under the election laws by Sheriff A. B. Lee appears in this issue. If you read the proclamation with care, study the ballot diligently, you will learn when to vote, where to vote, and how many officers to vote for, as well as to learn who the candidates are for the various offices to be filled; the standard bearers of the Democratic, Republican, Prohibition, Socialistic, Bull Moose, Industrialists, Roosevelt Progressive and Washington parties, and the electors representing each party.

Don't go into the voting booth without first having studied the ballot given in connection with the election proclamation on a sample ballot. Of course, it is a very simple matter to vote, and it is just as easy for anyone, no matter how often he has voted before, to make an error in marking his ballot that will lose to his party one vote. Be careful where you make your X. The Reporter believes the best and safest place for you to make your mark is in the square opposite "Democratic," found on the left hand side of the ballot.

Aaronsburg.

Miss Maz'e Foster went to Harrisburg.

Mrs. Emma Wert is visiting friends at Osceola Mills.

Miss Ruth Crouse visited friends living in Oceola Mills and Altoona.

J. E. Lenker, of Lemont, spent a few days with his mother in this place.

Samuel Gephart and family, of Rebersburg, spent the Sabbath at the home of Ralph Stover.

John Dale and Mrs. Miller, of Centre Hall, visited at the home of William Guisewite.

Mrs. Nora Bailey, of Loganton, visited her father, Chas Bower, a few days last week.

Mrs. Mary Motter and daughter, of Altoona, visited at the home of the former's brother, E. A. Stump.

Mr. and Mrs. Sweeney and six children, of near Spring Mills, spent the Sabbath with Charles Stover.

Mrs. Mary Burd returned home after an absence of a few months with friends living at State College.

Miss Mabelle Boob, of Woodward, visited her brother-in-law, William Wolfe, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Detwiler, of near Centre Hall, visited at the home of Warren Winkleblech.

Paul Stover and family, of Williamsport, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Stover.

John Hosterman and family, of Millheim, spent Sunday at the home of John Haines.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Guisewite, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bower spent Sunday with friends in Centre Hall.

Gilleard Eisenhauer, who was employed at Akron, Ohio, the past few months, returned to his family at this place.

Mrs. Arthur Weaver and children, of Spring Mills, spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilleard Eisenhour.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Smith, of near Woodward, and Mrs. Wm. Stover, of Rebersburg, visited at the home of George Weaver.

Mrs. Ira Gramley and daughter Jennie, of Millheim, were welcome guests at the home of Mrs. Effie Weaver on Saturday.

Dr. D. F. Bowersox and daughter, Mrs. Thomas Weaver, spent a day with the former's uncle, Henry Frederick, living in Boalsburg.

Rev. W. D. Donat and family have gone to Jonestown, Lebanon county, where Mrs. Donat's father and sister reside. Mr. Donat will attend Synod which convenes at Lebanon.

Henry Shell and wife, of Reading, and Mrs. Wm. Culp, of Sinking Springs, niece of John Yarger, deceased, were welcome guests at the home of A. S. Stover, Esq., over Sunday.

Prof. W. F. Zeigler, formerly of this place, but now of Madisonburg, was asked to tell the people of Aaronsburg of some of the good things he heard while attending the State Sunday-school Convention held at Philadelphia. He kindly consented, and on Sunday morning after the different Sunday-schools were dismissed, a large and attentive audience assembled in the audience room in the Lutheran church, and there had the pleasure to listen to one of the best reports that could have been given. The audience was very much pleased and greatly benefited by what they heard.

Woodward.

John Kepner, of Tamaqua, is spending some time in town.

John Haines left for Renovo on Monday afternoon, where he is employed.

Samuel Orndorf and family, of Coburn, spent a day last week with the former's mother, Mrs. Phoebe Wise.

Irvin Smith and family and Cleveland Vonada and family spent the Sabbath with friends in town.

Quite a number of people from this place attended Dentist Musser's sale at Aaronsburg on Saturday afternoon.

Having spent six weeks with her brothers and sisters in town Mrs. Amelia Williams returned to her home in Monessen this week.

After spending a week with Abraham Treaster, Henry Treaster and daughter Miss Grace returned to their home in Reedsville last Saturday.

Mrs. Herbert Hosterman and children Isabelle and Herbert returned to their home in Buffalo, N. Y., last Friday, after spending a week at the home of C. W. Hosterman.

Georges Valley.

Locust Grove preaching service was well attended.

Mrs. Daniel Ripka was a guest at the home of F. W. Zettle, on Sunday.

Some farmers are not yet through with their fall seeding. Rather late.

Revival services are in progress at Paradise church.

Mrs. Samuel Ertle is slowly improving. She enjoys it when her friends come to see her.

"WANTED" AND "FOR SALE" ADVS.

FOR SALE—Driving horse, coming four years. Inquire of M. A. SANKEY, Coburn, Pa.

STOVE FOR SALE—"Bright Light" parlor stove, used three seasons; in first-class condition. W. A. ODENKIRK, Centre Hall, Pa. o.42.

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J. W. Copeland, of Dayton, Ohio, purchased a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for his boy who had a cold, and before the bottle was all used the boy's cold was gone. Is that not better than to pay a five dollar doctor's bill? For sale by all dealers. adv.

Tonic Alterative

What is a "tonic"? A medicine that increases the strength or the tone of the whole system. What is an "alterative"? A medicine that alters or changes unhealthy action to healthy action. Name the best "tonic and alterative"? Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the only Sarsaparilla entirely free from alcohol. Ask your doctor about it.

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